

EASTER SUNDAY PROGRAM

Festival Will be Celebrated in Local Churches

A JOYOUS OCCASION

Inspiring Music and Appropriate Songs Will be Order of The Day

Programs Which Give Promise of Good Cheer to Church Attendants and Sermons Which Will Diffuse the Spirit of the Glad Season Which All Persons Are Cordially Invited to Hear.

The brook has found its voice again,
The lark has found the blue,
The crocus bud has found the sun,
The sun has found the dew,
The butterfly has found the light,
The grass the green of May,
And Christians all find joyous life
On holy Easter day.

Despite the unfavorable weather, which will interfere somewhat with the annual Easter day parade of gaily bedecked women, there will be most enjoyable music at the various churches of the town. Ministers will also preach on themes appropriate to the occasion, and the spirit of the event which is celebrated on Easter day will generally prevail.

Below will be found programs of church services tomorrow:

Presbyterian Church
Following the week of special services in the Presbyterian church there have been a large number who have come out on the Lord's side, and together with those who are coming by letter from other churches, will be received into the church on Easter morning at the regular hour of service.

There will also be administered the rite of baptism upon all children presented by their parents at the morning service. Parents will notify Dr. Reese before Sabbath of their intention to come with their children for baptism. The pastor will preach in the morning on the theme, "Easter," and in the evening on the subject, "When it is Hard to Be a Christian."

The choir has been making great preparation for the Easter music. Below are the musical numbers which will be given morning and evening on Easter day. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend these services:

Morning Service
Organ prelude, "Resurrection Morn."
Anthem, "Behold There Was a Great Earthquake."
Dedication, "Faith."
Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple."
Anthem, "Gallilean, Thou Hast Conquered."
Postlude.
Evening Service
Organ prelude, "Inlandia."
Anthem, "Hallelujah Christ is Risen."
Dedication, "At Twilight."
Anthem, "Lift Your Glad Voices."
Postlude.
Trinity M. E.

The following musical numbers will be rendered at Trinity M. E. church tomorrow:

Morning Service, 10:45
Organ prelude, "Nocturnette D'Every."
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WONT YOU BE OUR EASTER BUNNY?



BIG MARINE LINES ARE IN TROUBLE

(By United Press)
New York, April 3.—Receiver's papers for the International Merchant Marine company, formed by the late J. P. Horgan, were filed in the United States court by the New York Trust Co., for \$50,000,000. This is the largest shipping corporation of its kind in America, having in its control the White Star, Red Star, American, Atlantic, Transfer and Weyland steamship lines. The company was formed in 1902 and its losses are due to the European war.

Texas Hold Revival
(By United Press)
Dallas Texas, April 3.—Thirty-three preachers and singers from all parts of the south will come to Dallas for the simultaneous Baptist evangelistic campaign which opens tomorrow and continues for three weeks. Dr. Weston Bruner, secretary of evangelism of the Southern Baptist convention, is in charge of the campaign.

Secretary Bodine Arrives
Harry E. Bodine, secretary of the Clearfield Chamber of Commerce, is in town and will begin his duties next week.

Betting Favored Willard

(By United Press)
Havana, April 3.—Sensational betting here today favored Willard six to five in the world's championship bout, which takes place here on Easter Monday. The betting was seven to five last night with Johnson on the long end.

Rumor has it that arrangements have been made for Willard to win. This report was not heard until the arrival of many fight fans from the United States. The seat sale thus far amounts to \$100,000 with an expected attendance of 200,000 fans.

Hospital Whist Club
The Hospital Bridge Whist club will not meet until Wednesday, April 14, at which time Mrs. Howe will be hostess.

4-3-2t Secretary

MORE EFFICIENCY PROMISED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Key and Better Plans for Protection of Health Have Been Worked Out

Local Body Meets With Dr. Hunt of the State Department, and a Complete Reorganization of the Clearfield Board Will Result—Negligent Parents Responsible for Spread of Contagious Disease.

Dr. J. J. Hunt, of the state department of health, at Harrisburg met with the local board of health in council chamber last night. He dispelled all previous erroneous opinions formed by some of our citizens to the effect that the central department was not interested in efficiency in the boroughs of the state. Through the advice of Dr. Hunt, a new and elaborate plan of reorganization of the local department was worked out upon an efficiency basis.

Many Cases Not Reported
The present epidemic of scarlet fever and measles was analyzed. The measles outbreak shows that there have been a number of cases not reported by householders, and these cases have infected many others. There have been ninety-three cases in the present epidemic. The crop of scarlet fever proves the contention of the local department that many cases of mild scarlet fever have been concealed by parents, and these have infected others. Fifty per cent. of the cases being in children, and adults above the age of twelve. One thing to be emphasized just here, is that kidney disease follows the mild cases just as often as it does the very severe ones. If such cases are carefully supervised by physicians the permanent after effects can be reduced to a minimum.

The Local Board Complimented
Dr. Hunt complimented the board upon recent changes made with a view to having increased efficiency. From April first there will be an officer whose entire time will be devoted to health matters. He will be found at the council chamber (H & C 41x) from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. and from 1 to 2 P. M. Citizens should address all complaints to O. B. McLaughlin, secretary of the board of health.

Cooperation Necessary
The cooperation of all the citizens of Clearfield is necessary to secure the required results in health affairs. The cooperation of A. R. C. who so efficiently do a great deal of the house-to-house work, is necessary. Mothers are urged to have their children vaccinated. The cooperation of all citizens is necessary to secure the required results in health affairs. The cooperation of A. R. C. who so efficiently do a great deal of the house-to-house work, is necessary. Mothers are urged to have their children vaccinated. The cooperation of all citizens is necessary to secure the required results in health affairs. The cooperation of A. R. C. who so efficiently do a great deal of the house-to-house work, is necessary. Mothers are urged to have their children vaccinated.

Found Their Camp But Foxes Non Est

A number of sportsmen, under the chaperonage of President Baiston, of the Crooked Run Hunting club, went to the club house this week to see what the winter had done to the camp and try to secure several foxes, said to be abundant in that region. The hunters discovered that the porch of the club house had been broken down, but whether by the heavy snow or the campfires, they could not tell. Foxes were not in evidence while the hunters were in the vicinity, and after several days fruitless search they started home.

When the party reached the dam on their way to town a dispute arose as to whether the shells in their guns had been properly loaded, and to test the matter they began shooting at objects across the dam. Some of the shells actually reached the other side of the stream. While all of the guns were empty several wild ducks passed over the heads of the sportsmen, much to the chagrin of the sportsmen.

Signs of game were plentiful at the camp but not tracks of the notorious white-tailed or gray-tailed were seen, and it is believed that the natives have been so numerous during the past winter when the snow was deep. There is so full of trout that the fish have not had a chance to grow to their full size and none over fifteen inches were seen.

New Boston Subway Opens
(By United Press)
Boston April 3.—A new subway station, between the Park street station and Washington street, of the Dorchester tunnel will be opened tomorrow, principally benefiting the shopping public.

Special Easter Dinner
at the Dining Hotel tomorrow from 1 till 2. Table reservations may be made by either telephone.

On Easter Day

By EARL MARBLE.
"Peace on earth,
Good will toward men."
In sweet love's death
Not voice nor pen
E'er gave words spoke
Of greater scope
To stumbling folk
Who darkly grope.

Down, brighter moon of all the year,
And bring Christ's spirit with thee here,
That all may sing in loud acclaim,
"All hail the power of Jesus' name!"
Come hither thou whose day is this
The while men read of heavenly bliss,
Gives them by thee with promise fair
When they shall climb death's golden stair.

Throughout the week
Of holy thought
When minds are meek
With good were fraught,
The steps have trod
In upward ways
The whole toward God
Earned not his gaze
The spirit, Christ,
Purifies our soul
That each may proceed
Some marked goal
Max drink the wine
And "scape earth's prison
In the Easter sign
That "He Is Risen."

LEGISLATION IS NEEDED TO MAKE LAW OPERATIVE

Borough Cannot Increase Debt Without Further Action of State Assembly

Constitution Points Way by Which Indebtedness May be Increased but Legislation is Required Before Provisions of Constitution Can be Carried Into Execution—Solicitor Urey Explains Case.

Borough Solicitor Urey this morning handed to Representative Phillips the following communication, which is self-explanatory and relates to the situation in Clearfield anent the proposition to purchase the Clearfield water plant:

Dear Sir—Section 15 of article 9 of the constitution of Pennsylvania, which you will find in the laws of 1913, page 1479, and which is an amendment to the original constitution, contains two provisions for the increase of municipal debt for the purpose of purchasing waterworks etc. The first provision confines the lien of the debt created to the waterworks or properties purchased, and the second provision will enable municipalities to increase their debt to ten per centum of the assessed valuation, if assented to by three-fifths of the electors voting at a public election, in such manner as shall be provided by law.

"A constitution cannot execute itself. It is a frame or plan of government. It lays down certain great and fundamental principles, according to which the several departments it calls into existence are to govern the people; but all auxiliary rules which are necessary to give effect to these principles must, from the necessity of the case, come from the legislature. Indeed, it is for this very purpose the constitution establishes a legislature."

—Commonwealth vs. Maxwell, 27 Pa., page 456.
There has been no legislation passed to put into operation the provisions of section 15 of article 9 of the constitution. There is no law on the statute books passed by the legislature of Pennsylvania which prescribes the method by which a municipality may issue obligations and confine the lien of these obligations to any particular property, neither is there any law prescribing the method for conducting an election to increase the debt of a municipality to ten per centum of the assessed valuation.

The preliminary draft of the bill conferring the existing general law relating to boroughs, section 2 of article 1, chapter 5, includes from its provisions the right of municipalities to increase their debt to ten per centum of the assessed valuation. It is therefore necessary to have some legislation outside of the existing law in order to put the amendment into effect before the act can be carried out. Section 17 of article 1 of the constitution will become operative.

In order that the borough of Clearfield may increase the plant of the water works, the act must be passed by the legislature.

The Schultz Meetings Will Close Tomorrow

The revival services at the Baptist church will end Sunday evening. There will be four big meetings tomorrow. Mr. Schultz speaks at the morning service, and also at the Paradise chapel at 2:00 o'clock. There will be a men's meeting at 8:30 in the afternoon at the church. The men of the New York Central yards are planning to come in a body. There will be special music. An invitation is extended to other men's organizations. The final service starts at 7:30 Sunday evening. Come early and avoid the rush. Evangelistic services will also be held tonight at the usual time.

MR. BARCLAY'S COMMISSION HAS NOT YET ARRIVED

John C. Barclay, appointed postmaster of Clearfield by President Wilson, is awaiting the arrival of his commission, and when that important document reaches him he will take charge of the office. It was expected that the commission would be here before the first of April, but it did not arrive. Mr. Barclay has all the necessary papers in shape for assuming his duties as soon as the commission reaches him.

Kansas Horse Show

(By United Press)
Leavenworth, Kan., April 3.—Several events for officers, ladies and enlisted men were on the card at the sixth annual horse show of the Fort Leavenworth Field club which opened this afternoon in the riding hall.

GERMAN CRUISER ESCAPES

Report That Eitel Friedrich Made Her Getaway

NO CONFIRMATION

All Wires Between Newport News and Outside World Are Down

German Ambassador Has Received No News of the Sailing of the Ship—Yesterday the Vessel Was Loading With Provisions and Called Two Tugs to Help Her Out of the Harbor.

(By United Press)
Washington, D. C., April 3.—According to information received here from Baltimore by the weather bureau, the Prinz Eitel Friedrich escaped last night. The bureau has no communication with Newport News, owing to a severe storm which raged there last night, all wires being broken. There is keen interest here concerning the vessel's escape. As yet there has been no verification of the report.

The night was ideal for the escape on account of a heavy northeast storm with a very hazy sky. If the report is untrue, the Eitel Friedrich will never have a better chance to escape.

Is Not Confirmed
New York, April 3.—The German consulate here is disinclined to believe that the Prinz Eitel Friedrich has escaped as he has received no word of any kind regarding it and says that if it were true he would likely know something about it.

Has No News
Washington, April 3.—The German ambassador has received no news of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and has no prospect of a wire for some time.

Tugs Were Ready
Newport News, Va., April 3.—Two tugs from the Norfolk navy yard arrived here shortly after noon yesterday and moored at the Prinz Eitel Friedrich's pier. One tug, the Pa'dow through which Mrs. Bailey was shot, has disappeared and all efforts to find him have failed. All the other witnesses for the prosecution, it was said, are available.

Efforts to ascertain the mission of the tugs and officials were unavailing. United States artillerymen with bayoneted rifles turning back inquirers 30 yards from the pier.

Still No News
Washington, April 3.—The navy department was successful in securing a wire to Norfolk this morning, but no answer was received concerning the departure of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich which the department could have confirmed.

EIGHT MEN ACCUSED OF DEFRAUDING COUNTIES

Eight men have been lodged in the Elk county jail, accused of fraudulently disposing of waste lands in various counties of this section of the state. The men are residents of Wilcox, Elk county, and are said to have collected hundreds of dollars in Elk, Clearfield, Jefferson, Warren and McKean counties, their plan being to import waste lands from states in which no bounty on waste lands is paid, securing the title at a low figure and reselling it at 32 cents from the county ex in which they were sold.

Advertise in the Progress.

Two Men Cremated At Kane

(By United Press)
Kane, Pa., April 3.—John Spindola, 32 and Joseph Spindola, 30, were burned to death in a fire which burned fifty cars of charcoal at the plant of the McKean Chemical Co. at Mahanogah today.

The loss entailed by this fire will reach at least \$12,000.

BILLY SUNDAY OPENS REVIVAL IN PATTERSON

(By United Press)
Patterson, N. J., April 3.—Billy Sunday and his soul-saving brigade arrived here today to open a revival of several weeks' duration. Sunday has been resting at his home at Winona Lake, Ind., since his recent campaign at Philadelphia. He will remain here six weeks.

Germans Continue to Sink British Steamers

(By United Press)
London, April 3.—The British steamship "Hull" was sunk by a German submarine in the North Atlantic. The ship was carrying a large cargo of coal and was bound for Liverpool. The submarine was sighted by the ship's crew and fired upon, but the ship was sunk before it could reach the coast. The crew and passengers were rescued by a British minesweeper. The ship was carrying a large cargo of coal and was bound for Liverpool. The submarine was sighted by the ship's crew and fired upon, but the ship was sunk before it could reach the coast. The crew and passengers were rescued by a British minesweeper.

Russians on Offensive Along Their Whole Front

(By United Press)
London, April 3.—The Russian official report issued last night makes it clear that the Russians are on the offensive along their whole front, from the Baltic to the Rumanian border and in East Prussian border, and that in the Caucasus, and, according to Stockholm dispatch, they have penetrated an enormous number of soldiers on the coast of Finland to prevent any attempt by the Germans to land there. All the Russian advances, according to Petrograd advices, are proceeding with success. The Russian official report issued last night makes it clear that the Germans in North Poland are being pushed back to the sea by the Rumanian border and in East Prussian border, and that in the Caucasus, and, according to Stockholm dispatch, they have penetrated an enormous number of soldiers on the coast of Finland to prevent any attempt by the Germans to land there. All the Russian advances, according to Petrograd advices, are proceeding with success.



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The Prize Egg

An Easter Story

THE shops all along the main street were full of Easter suggestions. One confectioner's window was entirely filled with chocolate covered eggs of all sizes, and a large placard announced: "Each egg in this window contains a valuable and unique prize. All eggs are the same price, 25 cents. Each egg will open on Easter morning."

Passersby paused to look and read the notice, and not a few entered the shop to purchase.

Presently a winsome looking girl and a very tall young man paused in front of the window. He looked inquiringly at her, and she smiled; then they went in, coming out again in a few minutes carrying a small box.

That evening at the girl's home they opened the package and examined the egg.

"Shall we break it," she questioned, "or wait until Easter and see what happens?"

"Oh, let's wait!" he answered. "I don't suppose it will have anything worth while inside, and it may not even open, though of course that could be chemically arranged."

The egg was again put in its box and laid away where the girl promised it would remain until the arrival of the man on Easter morning.

Easter dawned fair and beautiful, and while it was quite early the man arrived to find the girl anxiously waiting him.

They opened the box with care and gently laid the egg on the table. The surface of chocolate was as smooth as when purchased.

For half an hour they watched it closely and were about to give up when the girl noticed a faint crack across the top. Very slowly it spread—in fact, almost imperceptibly—until, quite without realizing how it happened or when, the two halves of the egg lay on the table and between them a small object wrapped in tissue paper.

Very gingerly she tore off the paper and cried in disgust when she saw only a dirty old silver dollar.

"Still," he exclaimed practically, "a dollar is a dollar, no matter how old it is." He took it from her and looked at it closely, feeling it all over, when the eagle opened, and the face of a woman smiled up at him.

"Oh!" Suddenly he raised it to his lips, kissing it passionately.

The girl's expression instantly changed from sweet winsomeness to a jealous fury, and she snatched the dollar from him.

"How dare you kiss that woman when you say you love me!" She fairly hissed the words, and her angry eyes devoured the lovely features of the almost faded picture.

He took it gently from her, holding it tenderly in his hand, while he put his arm around her, and there was wonder in his voice when he spoke.

"Strange and improbable as it seems, that is my mother's photograph."

"How curious!" she murmured from his shoulder.

"You see how thin and worn the dollar is!" he continued. "That is because my father carried it for ten years, and then one day absentmindedly he spent it. He never knew where or how, but it was gone, and he was never able to find a trace of it, though I don't believe he has ever given up trying."

"I think mother told it until she saw how it worried father; then she made light of it by saying she wondered whose husband was carrying her picture now."

"How glad they will be!" He raised the eagle to look once more into the beautiful tender eyes that, so the girl thought at the moment, were exactly like his.

"I thought I would be afraid of her," the girl said slowly, "but I won't be unless she has changed. Has she?"

"Only to become more beautiful. This was taken before I was born."

"You will change that way some day, dear, and I shall watch you as my father watched her. You do love me, I know it now," he said with conviction, "for you were jealous when I kissed the picture, and you couldn't be unless you cared."

Once more she gazed upon the picture; then, closing the dollar, she slipped it into his vest pocket.

"Take it to her, dear," she hesitated, "and tell her it came out of a prize egg, but that a girl who hopes some day to be loved as much as she is sends it, and."

"Then," he interrupted, "you're going to say yes today?"

"I'm still in doubt about lots of things, but I do love you, and I want a beautiful mother to love me, and."

"You darling!" He lifted her off her feet for a second and crushed her to him.

As he put her down they both noticed the egg had closed, and only a faint crack showed where it had been split.

"Yes, it's a strange egg," he said in answer to her questioning, "but what I said about the action of chemicals accounts for the closing as well as the opening. But whatever it is it has served its purpose here in giving me the prize."

In the Garden.

"Who, supposing him to be the gentleman?" said one of the other and our hearts were "where?"

"He would be true to the loved and fair. And we were in the tomb behind the door."

Put on the garden, and we find the Mary, Thomas, Robert in Lippincott's.

Indictment of the Cat.

"Many an innocent hawk, skunk, cat or weasel," says a government bureau, "has been shot for the needs of the sleek high-woman, the house cat," says a cat, "that this marauder which enjoys all the comforts and protection of the home, destroys the verminous more wild birds and young poultry than all their natural enemies combined."

TEMPERANCE TIDINGS

Research and News.

Edited by

REV. ROBERT C. PETERS

Industrial Prohibition Spreads
The Milton Manufacturing company, the American Car and Foundry company, and S. J. Shimer & Sons, of Milton, Pennsylvania, have issued absolute orders demanding that their employees abstain from alcohol and refuse to sign license petitions or otherwise indicate sympathy for the saloon.

Thirty men were discharged by the American Car and Foundry company because they signed liquor license applications.

It is not desired to regulate the opinions of the employees in regard to prohibition, but the stand is taken that the man who signs a liquor license application does not properly appreciate the danger of liquor to himself and the community. He is, therefore, not a safe employee for a concern demanding efficiency.

"Indulgence in the use of liquors is a menace to all business interests," declared George S. Shimer, president of the Milton Manufacturing company. "If the employees should be protected by the employer, why shouldn't the employer be as well protected by the employee? Our employees have congratulated us upon the step we have taken."

Heads of the other companies involved gave similar reason for their action.

"Rouse him at noon in the bushes, follow and press him hard—

Nor for his ragings and roarings, Bitch we from Adam-zad; When he shows as seeking quarter, with paws like hands in prayer— THAT is the time of peril—the time of the truce of the Bear."

No Alcohol, More Work.

(Correspondence from England.)

In an explanatory note accompanying the Budget bill, the Russian minister of finance states that the termination of the mobilization has permitted the gradual re-establishment of the circulation of merchandise.

Thus the loading of goods trucks during November was only 23 per cent. below that of November, 1913. Except in the inconsiderable portion of the country occupied by the enemy, the industrial life of the country has not shown any sensible diminution. The situation is relatively favorable and is explained by the increase in the productivity of the worker owing to the suppression of the sale of alcohol. The increase of productivity has reached 20 to 50 per cent. and compensates largely for the diminution in the number of workers due to the call to the colours.

Tennessee, which had a long and bitter struggle with law-defying wets, has just passed an order bill, and it is said that Memphis, the capital of the revolution, is now as dry as Sahara.

"There can be but one conclusion as to the general effect of prohibition: It is for the better." So says Mr. Thomas Hawker, president of the Farmers bank of Stinson, West Virginia.

The newspapers of New Jersey have recently been approached by a brewery offer to take large advertising space under a condition that the paper shall not editorially favor local option or state prohibition.

Fines aggregating \$12,000 and jail sentences totaling 17,871 days have been assessed against 62 convicted violators of the local option liquor of Nevada. (Times.) Local prohibition is not what it should be, still it does a little business now and then.

"There has been a marked improvement in public manners as well as in financial matters since the adoption of state-wide prohibition," says George P. Moore, president of the First National bank, Marlinton, West Virginia.

A Day of Spiritual Joy

Easter should be a day of spiritual joy, a day for the celebration of the resurrection of the spirit, a day in which spiritual considerations should be more prominent. Any secular or civil activities that interfere with the pure spiritual observance of the day should be discouraged. There is a tendency to over-emphasize fashions. It should be earnestly discouraged.

Jesus Christ announced the important truth that the glory of his resurrection was the fruit of his Passion. I mean the accidental glory incident to his humanity, not the essential glory inherent in his deity.

While two of his disciples were going from Jerusalem to Emmaus, discussing on the crucifixion, Jesus, in the guise of a stranger, joined them, and they said to him: "We had hoped that Christ would redeem Israel from gentile bondage and would re-establish the kingdom on a grander scale and rule as a conqueror. But our hopes are shaken, for he died a shameful death on the cross." And Jesus said to them: "Foolish and slow of heart, to believe in all things which the prophets have spoken. Ought not Christ to have suffered these things and so to enter into his glory?"

If he had not trod the path of suffering and humiliation he would not be the Messiah foretold by the prophets.—Cardinal Gibbons.

The Story That the Easter Lily Is Telling



Easter In Various Lands

In nearly all Christian countries the recurrence of Easter has been celebrated with various ceremonies and popular sports and observances.

In the Netherlands, or Holland, a country famed for its flowers, especially tulips, blossoms play a large part in the day's celebration. For days before the holiday the Dutch canals bear on their placid surfaces many barges laden high with fragrant and showy masses of bloom.

Some of the Easter customs in the various countries are curious indeed. In the north of England you may still hear the old rhyme:

Tid, mid and misera,
Carling, palm and Pasch egg day.
The first line refers to Christmas, the Epiphany and Lent. Carlings are



DUTCH BOY WITH WHITE HYACINTHS FOR EASTER

steeped peas fried in butter, with pepper and salt, and eaten on midlent or mothering Sunday, as the fourth Sunday in Lent is sometimes called. Palm Sunday immediately precedes Passion week and is so called from the branches of palm trees strewn in our Saviour's path at the time of his triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

Pasch eggs are Easter eggs boiled so hard that you can play at ball with them, dyed with various colors and often having inscriptions or land scenes traced upon them.

Easter eggs symbolize the resurrection. As one old writer says, "As the bird imprisoned within the shell comes to life and liberty at the appointed time, so did our Saviour on Easter morning burst the gates of the grave." The eggs were at first dyed scarlet, in memory of the blood of Christ shed upon the cross.

Verdi's Secrecy.

Verdi observed great secrecy concerning his operas, even to his business associates, and it is said that the first intimation his business managers, the Ricordi, received of the composition of "Falstaff" was a toast offered by Boito, who as supper one night when the publisher and his wife were present, said, "I planned at Verdi and proposed a toast to the 'fat knight,' at which it seemed Verdi and Boito had been working for months."

Easter's Date Depends on the Moon.

It is well known that Easter Sunday falls on ever first upon the same day of the month two years in succession, and it does not reappear again until the same month has passed. It is not until April 4, 1920, that it will be again a variable day of the month, the day of the year being the same.

As spring begins on March 21, this means that Easter Sunday never comes earlier than March 21 or later than April 25.

Easter Bird Stories

A great deal of bird lore is linked with the stories of the Passion. There is a Danish legend that as Christ was suffering on the cross three birds came and alighted upon it. One cried, "styrk ham! styrk ham!" (Strengthen him! Strengthen him!), and since that time the stork has been known as a bird of strength and blessing. The second, it was interpreted, cried, "Sval ham! Sval ham!" (Refresh him! Refresh him!), and the swallow was likewise thought to be a bird of blessing. But the third cried, "Poen ham!" (Torment him!), and so from that hour the lawing has been accused among birds.

The Swedish legend is the same, with the addition of a fourth bird, the goldfinch, which, flying thither, cried, "Kyrie! Kyrie!" (Lord! Lord!), and its voice has ever since been limited to that single word of lament.

An owl, according to the Spanish was so dazzled by the sunlight it did not perceive that it had alighted upon the cross. But as night came on it saw and, frightened, called "Cruz! Cruz!" (Cross! Cross!) as it flew away. And from that moment the owl has kept repeating this cry and has been able to see only after darkness falls.

The crossbill in an unsuccessful effort to find out one of the nails which fastened the Saviour to the cross twisted its beak and dyed its plumage with the martyr's blood. Concerning the robin there is a similar tradition, expressed in verse, as follows:

To the Saviour's throbbing head
She fondly strove, His blood, she said,
Dyed all her tender bosom red.
Since then no hand disturbs her nest,
So proudly boasts her young ones' nest—
That sacred bird of lucky omen.

Easter Lilies Grown in America.

There is said to be but one small section in the United States where Easter lilies will grow profusely and blossom at Easter time. This is La Palmas, a few miles below Brownsville, Tex.

Potted flowers for Easter Gifts.

Rhododendrons are being used extensively as Easter gifts. The beauty of the flowers alone would recommend them, but in addition they can be planted out of doors in many places soon after Easter Sunday and become part of the shrubbery. No plants are more gorgeous or effective. Even when not in flower the evergreen plant is attractive. The flowers increase in size and bounty each year. Madam Felix and Pink Pearls are two exquisite varieties. Others are Abraham Lincoln, Delicata, Rosa, and Elegans and Caractus.

The fuchsia grown in standard shapes are attractive and make stylish Easter gifts. Fuchsias, or lady's ear drops, are well known plants of easy culture for the home or shady situation in the garden.

Azaleas have become nearly as synonymous with Easter as the lilac for gifts. The hardy varieties are being used more and more at Easter time, as they can be planted out and form a high note of color in the garden after serving their Easter mission. The hardier types are extremely hardy and produce great masses of very bright, fiery red single flowers, making attractive, showy gifts. Vandermissen and Professor Walters are popular Easter azaleas and are really among the best and most popular plants sold at this season.

What Was It, Then?

"I don't see why you call your place a bungalow," said Sam to his neighbor.

"Well, if it isn't a bungalow, what is it?" said the neighbor. "The job was a bungle and I still owe for it!"—Ladies Home Journal.

He's Big, I

"Will you marry me?"

"But I love you from the bottom of my heart."

"You dear girl, there's a wage room at the top of my heart."

On the contrary.

Mrs. Moore—Tell the gentleman I'm not receiving today, Jane. New Domestic—But he isn't deliverin' mine; he's collectin'!

Advertisements in the Progress.

Sunday with the Churches

First Baptist Church
Rev. Norman J. Mecklen, Pastor.
10:00 Sunday school.
11:00 Morning worship.
2:00 Service at Paradise chapel.
7:30 Evening worship.
Labor Evangelist Schultz will speak at all these services. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

English Lutheran
Rev. C. R. Allenbach, Pastor.
6:00 Sunrise Service with preaching.

10:30 Morning worship.
Communion, Baptism and Reception of new members.

Easter Service.
6:30 Christian Endeavor.
7:30 Evening worship.

A cordial invitation is extended to the people of Clearfield to come and worship with us.

Presbyterian
Rev. E. C. Reeve, D. D., Pastor.
11:45 Sabbath school.
10:30 Morning worship.
11:45 Sabbath school.
7:30 Evening worship.

7:30 Wednesday, Midweek service. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

Eleventh Street M. E.
Rev. Robert C. Peters, Pastor.
9:45 Brotherhood class.
10:30 Morning worship. Special program of Easter music and recitations by the children.

Theme, "Christian Monopoly".
Easter music in the evening.
Everybody cordially invited.

West Side M. E.
Rev. J. W. Long, pastor.
9:30 Sunday school.
10:45 Morning worship.
Special Easter program.
7:30 Evening worship.
7:30 Wednesday, Prayer meeting.
A cordial welcome.

Trinity M. E.
Dr. H. R. Bender, Pastor.
10:45 Morning worship.
Theme, "The Resurrection."
7:30 Evening worship.
Theme, "Messiah's Mission."
Everybody welcome.

United Brethren
Rev. B. J. Hummel, Pastor.
9:45 Sunday school.
11:00 Morning worship.
6:30 Young People's meeting.
7:30 Preaching.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
Everybody invited.

Episcopal
Rev. Joseph Johns, Pastor.
7:30 First service.
9:45 Sunday school.
10:45 Second service.
7:30 Evening prayer.

St. Francis Catholic
Rev. Father Ryan.
8:00 First mass.
10:00 Second mass.
7:30 Vespers and benediction of most blessed sacrament.

Allen A. M. E. Church
Rev. J. W. Brown, Pastor.
10:45 Morning worship.
7:30 Evening worship.

The Salvation Army
10:30 Holiness meeting.
6:30 Young People's Legion.
7:30 Open air meeting.
6:30 Salvation meeting.
Everybody welcome.

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New York Evening Sun

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Every one top notch in style and quality.

Every one tailored to look well and to wear well.

Every one guaranteed for satisfaction in every respect.

Every one is a better value than \$10 to \$30 will buy in any other store in Clearfield.

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235 Market Street
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TEXAS SEEKS TO END ILLITERACY IN THE STATE

(By United Press)

Austin, Tex., April 2.—Texas has fired the first shot at illiteracy in the "solid south" by passing a compulsory school attendance law. Texas, the least illiterate state in the south, is still the thirty-seventh state in the union in degree of literacy. Following her lead, it is expected other commonwealths below the Mason and Dixon line will adopt compulsory education.

The Texas legislature, just adjourned, enacted a law to compel attendance at school of every child over seven years of age at least six months every year until the age of twelve is reached. But the bill does not go into effect until September, 1915, and for the next three years the maximum of six months attendance is not enforceable. No child of twelve years or over can be compelled to attend school if he has completed the fourth grade and his assistance is needed in the home.

While this law may not compare favorably with stricter measures in northern states it is considered a fair beginning for a state so long steeped in child labor and illiteracy. The advocates of the measure in the 1913 legislature were confident the law would be improved in future sessions. It was bitterly fought in both branches of this legislature.

"Wet" and "Dry" Puzzle

(By United Press)

Benidji, Minn., April 2.—The village of Littlefork is wet. The township of Jameson is dry. Residents of Littlefork say they have a "boozie" divorce from Jameson township. They did get a partial divorce. But the law says they are not separated, in the matter of elections and assessments. So the attorney general had to rule that according to the law.

Trimmed Hat Sale

We have on sale, Friday and Saturday a large line of trimmed hats, ranging in price from \$2 to \$2.50. Store open every evening until 8:00.

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FOR EASTER DAY



Easter.

Ring loud and clear your bells for Easter time,
New quick, now slow;
From one to catch up the happy chime;
Bring all the flowers that blow
Perfume with crown an offering pure
Christ's rising morn to greet.

Ring long and deep your bells for suffering borne
With patient grace;
Bring purple panicles, colors that are worn
Best with a sorrowing face,
And weave with pine and cypress and young moss
The emblematic cross.

Ring soft and slow your bells a tender knell
And softly weep;
Bring anemone and stainless saphire
In memory of that sleep
Which wrapped the world in three days' ashen gloom
While he was in the tomb.

Ring, ring your bells across the happy land
This Easter morn!
Christ sits in heaven at the Father's hand,
Bringing blossoms to adorn
A conquered death, whose victim has arisen,
A grave which is no prison.
—Juliet Marsh Isham in New York Times.

THE EMPTY TOMB.

No Story and Significance Told in Easter Sermon.

It is Friday afternoon. With "It is finished" his head drops upon his breast, and the hopes of his disciples are shattered. Pilate is glad to find some balm for his uneasy conscience by granting the request of the rich friend, Joseph of Arimathea, for the body. Nicodemus, scholarly, timid and shrinking, comes late the night again, joining in the embalming, because he cannot forget the evening's talk with the great Teacher. The tomb is sealed. It is done, save for his watching enemies. The world's hopes are dead. In him they had found life; now they are ashes. They who loved him cherish the past, but have no future. The long sorrowful Sabbath day at last is waning; the first day is dawning.

Through the mists of the morning, hands laden with the treasures of the heart, while silver light of star and golden gleam of sun mingle, the Marys seek the tomb, hoping to perform the last service of loving devotion. They approach with timidity, fear, awe, wonder.

Lo, the stone is rolled back! One sits upon it clothed in light. He has hastened from heaven to anticipate their coming and to change their sorrow into song by the announcement, "He is not here; he is risen." The women hasten to tell his disciples. Hope, the last spark of which had gone out, is kindled again in human hearts. Forty day he lingers on the earth until the most skeptical cries, "My Lord and my God!" Every disciple becomes a herald of his resurrection. They seal their testimony with their blood.

Only the fact of Christ's resurrection can explain the revived hopes of his dependent followers. Only a personality that lives can rule the world as Christ rules it today. Every believer may share this Easter morning the resurrection hope as it sends the sunlight of heaven into every darkened heart and into every open grave, revealing new, "He is not here; he is risen."

Every tomb is now empty. May you who stand, in fact or in imagination, by the grave of loved ones today catch the vision and hear the voice, "He is not here; he is risen."

Death is not a wall, but a door into life. An evening promises morning, as winter spring, as the seed sowers, so death promises life.—Rev. Dr. George W. Shelton, Pittsburgh.

The Word Easter.

Easter to the French is known as Paques; to the Scotch, Pasch; the Danes, Paaske, and the Dutch, Paschen. St. Paul calls Christ "our Pasch." The English name is derived from that of the old German or Saxon goddess of spring, Ostera or Eastre, whose festival occurred about the same time of the year as the celebration of Easter. When the early missionaries went to Britain they found the people worshipping this goddess, to whom the month of April, which they called Eastermouth, was dedicated. The missionaries substituted the Christian feast for the old heathen one, but they allowed the people to give it the name of their goddess, and so the word Easter came to be used.

West Meets East

Berkeley, Cal., April 3.—One of the most important field meets of the year in the west is being held at the University of California where the California athletes are pitted against the University of Illinois team. The Illinoisans are confident that they will be able to wrest the laurels from Berkeley.

"Burning Of Judas" An Easter Rite Among Orientals

In some oriental countries among the members of the Greek Orthodox church a feature of the Easter festivities which is never omitted is the burning of an effigy of Judas, the faithless disciple. To show how firm a hold the rite of Judas burning has taken of oriental Greeks the following story is told:

In Therapia, a suburb of Constantinople, there lived a poor Greek who earned a scanty livelihood as a porter or messenger or boatman. Every Easter this man made a Judas effigy and burnt it on his own behalf and that of his coreligionists. The necessary money was got by begging.

The Turkish authorities objected to these proceedings on the ground of public safety, as the burning always took place in a small square in the workmen's quarter, quite close to some wooden barracks. Therefore every year just before Easter the good natured bimbashi, the lieutenant of police, would send for the Greek, who was well known to be a ringleader in the affair, and threaten him with severe punishment if he should burn a Judas puppet. The Greek always gave the same reply, "Even if you kill me I will burn Judas." The following year, before Easter, the Turkish bimbashi would send to the Greek again and strictly enjoin upon him that this time no Judas was to be burnt. But, all the same, the Greek would get a "Judas" ready and burn him.

It happened that the Greek had to row over the Bosphorus to the Asiatic coast. He hesitated for some time in view of the approaching festival, but finally consented on the promise of a good fee, his money being at a low ebb. When he had done his business on the Asiatic side and was getting ready to return a storm arose, so that it was impossible for him to risk crossing in his little boat. He gazed eagerly at the sky, but there was no cessation of wind and tempest. The day of the festival arrived, and the Greek, taking off his clothes, made them into an effigy, stuffed them with leaves and twigs and there on the lonely shore burnt his Judas, according to his usual custom. As soon as the storm was over, George, for that was his name, returned without clothing in his boat to Therapia and told what he had done. The Turkish bimbashi, delighted that for once there was no Judas burning among the wooden sheds of Therapia, gave George new clothes and a present of money as well.

In the Tyrol.

In the Tyrol the Easter festival is one of great ceremony. During the Easter holidays bands of musicians visit every valley, singing beautiful hymns to the accompaniment of their instruments as they pass along, men, women and children joining in the chorus, bearing lighted torches of pine wood.

Marvelous Activities.

A diner in a restaurant thought he would have a joke with the waiter, and asked him if he had ever seen a sausage roll. "Say," said the waiter, "I have not only seen a sausage roll, but I have seen a biscuit box, a table spoon, a chimney sweep, a chain link, a nose gay, a camera slide, a garden fence, a sword fish and a wall flower."



Scene from Selwyn and Company. Production, "TWIN BEDS." At the New Opera House, Thursday, April 8th. One Night Only.

MAHAFFEY

Mrs. Mosser entertained about 20 of her friends and neighbors at a quiting a few days ago. She served a delicious dinner at 6 o'clock, and late in the evening the company departed for their homes.

Mrs. Bruce Hepburn, of Johnstown, formerly of this place, spent a few days in town the first of the week.

Joe Mosser was a caller in Punxsutawney Sunday evening.

Miss Elsie Faust, chief operator in the Bell Telephone office, was in Punxsutawney having dental work done last week.

Mrs. J. B. Conner, of Burnside, had some dental work done in Clearfield recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Michael and daughter, Mary Katherine, have returned home from Patton, where they visited relatives.

A surprise party was held in honor of Miss Helen Lind at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. P. Thomas narrowly escaped seriously injury Monday night. While on her way down town she fell and hurt her head. She is not improving very fast.

Paul Pantall was kicked by a horse Friday and injured slightly.

Old Pawnee Plan.

They had a roundabout way of bestowing military pensions in the old days. Witness this official communication from the British war office in the reign of Queen Anne. Her majesty, it runs, has been pleased to grant Pluton Minshall, a child, a commission as ensign in consequence of the loss of his father, who died in the service. And Pluton was at the same time granted furlough until further order, his army pay being sent regularly to his mother.

Chances Are That Escort Didn't.

Photographer (taking plain-looking girl and her escort)—"Now, try not to think of yourselves at all—think of something pleasant."—London Opinion.

PATRIOTIC LECTURE

April 5, 1915, at 7:30 P. M. in the United Brethren church, Woodland, by Washington camp No. 591 of Clearfield, under the auspices of Camp No. 372, of Woodland. All members are requested to meet at the hall at 7 o'clock sharp Monday evening, march to train, then to the church.

The public is cordially invited to come. Immediately after the program all members will march to the hall of Camp No. 372 and partake of the refreshments which will be in waiting for them.

By order of committee,

E. J. TURNER, Chairman.
D. E. YOUNG.
JOHN PALMER.
H. B. PETERS.
A. E. BIGLEMAN.

D. C. Rook has taken the room over the Globe theatre, where he is showing the famous "Safety First Clothes" at \$10.00. Come up at any time.



THIS is only the Easter bunny. Big and soft and white, With little pink nose, so funny, And little stub tail upright.

He's out on his annual errand, Locating nests today, Soon to be filled with eggs, Brilliantly colored and gay.

Don't forget to have yours ready, For on his nightly round He hipity hops in a hurry, And late ones won't be found.

—Reamond M. Peat.

EASTER'S MESSAGE.

It Teaches Us to Rise Anew From Our Selfishness and Sin.

This, to my mind, is the message of the Easter tide:

We may interpret the resurrection in a dozen different ways; we may believe or not believe that this miracle took place as reported in the gospels. But that Jesus was never slain by the soldiers of Pontius Pilate, but lived to rally his disciples after the agony and terror of Golgotha, to capture Paul and lead him over stormy seas and desert wastes for the preaching of his word, to call "the glorious company of the apostles, the goodly fellowship of the prophets, the noble army of the martyrs," in all ages and places into the service of his kingdom; to speak to us today as he has "spoken of old time unto the fathers" and to "challenge us to live and die for him and his great cause of righteousness"—all this is as certain as that his body was nailed to the cross of Calvary. After the crucifixion, as before, Jesus was alive. He has been alive in every age, even the darkest, that has succeeded upon the hour of this mortal agony, and he is alive today more truly and wonderfully than he has ever been before in human history. Of this we can be sure!

But what about ourselves? Are we also alive—alive as the eleven were alive when they reassembled in Jerusalem and gave themselves anew to the kingdom of God on earth? Have we arisen from our selfishness, cowardice and sin to meet the risen Christ and pledge our hearts to his, or are we dead, as dead as Judas when the first Easter dawned upon the world? This is the question which this latest Easter puts to us. It is not so much the resurrection of Jesus as of ourselves which need concern us.—Rev. John Haynes Holmes, New York City.

The Comfort of the Lilies An Easter Poem

By CORA A. MATSON DOLSON

THE golden hearted lilies bloom once more In spicy fragrances by my open door. He my heart throbs to each new opening leaf, Down from it elipses the burden of my grief.

It is the comfort of the lilies' breath floating from out the depths of seeming death, for never clay so hard but faith has power To fit through it the radiance of a flower.

CLASSIFIED WANTS

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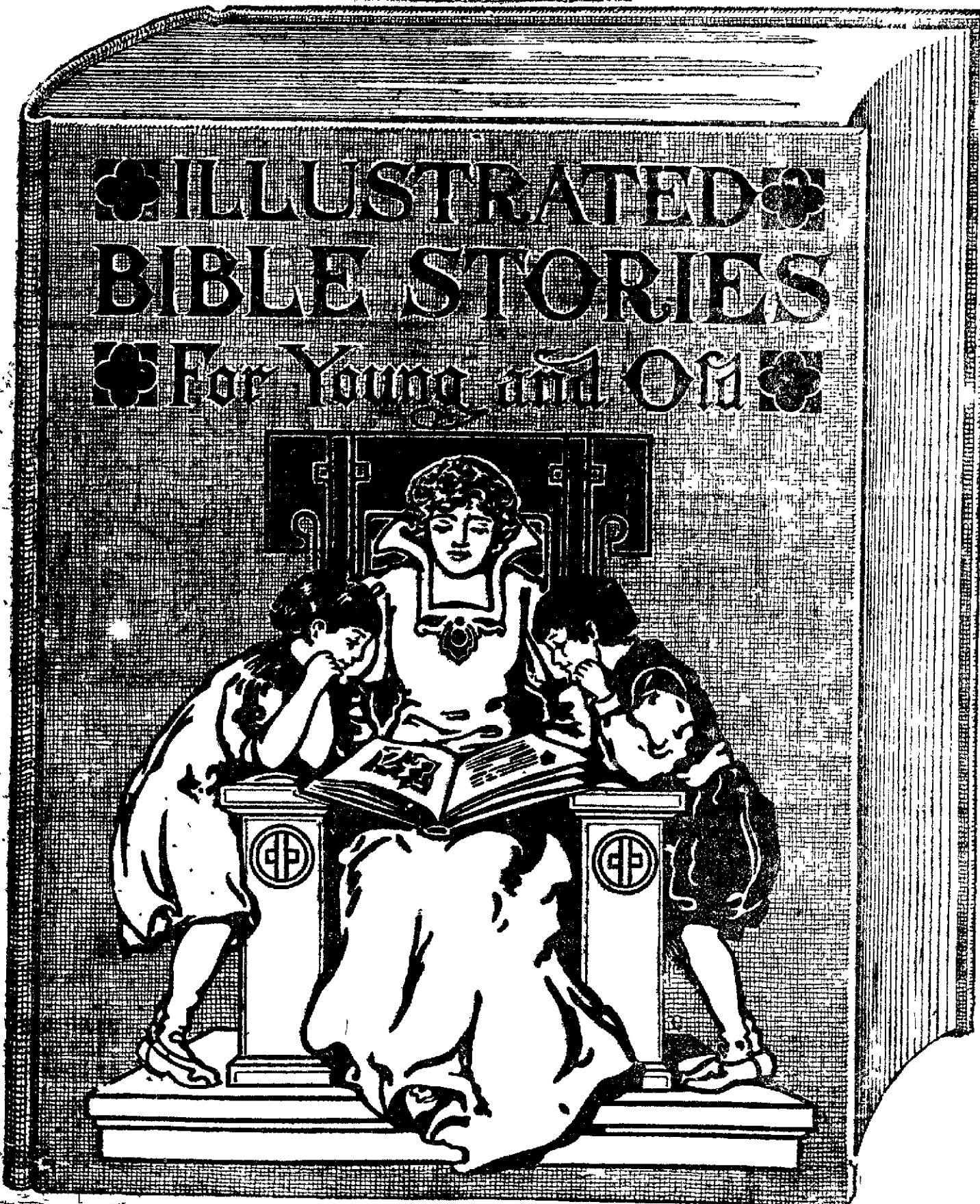
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tive must enable the borough to take
advantage of both provisions of the
amendment for increase of debt. That
is to say, the borough must be in a
position to issue obligations which
shall be a lien on the plant alone,
and also at the same time to issue
general borough bonds, or we will not
likely be in a position to take over the
plant. The law should be framed in
this form because there is no water
plant in the state that will carry a
negotiable bond issue to its full val-
ue, and it would simply be impos-
sible to sell bonds on the plant of the
Clearfield Water company to the
amount that would enable the bor-
ough to purchase that plant at the
price fixed by the act of 1874.

Kindly keep this in mind and have
the act passed so that we can issue
bonds on the plant to an amount for
which they can be sold, and at the
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R. C. SHAW GROCERY CO.
Second Street

EASTER SUNDAY PROGRAM

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Anthem "God Over All, Forever
Blessed" Heyser
Solos by Ruby Beeman and Ethel
Boyce.

Anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals,"
from the "Repentance" Govned
Organ offertory "Meditation" Real
Mrs. Harry Boag
Soprano solo, "Life's Resurrection
Hour" Neidlinger
Organ postlude, Grand Chorus
Guilmant

Evening Service, 7:30
Organ prelude, "Andante in G"

Anthem, "Hosanna" Batiste
Solos, Florence Castle and Emery
Gearhart.

Organ offertory, melody in F
Rubinstein

Ethel Boyce
Soprano solo, "Thy Wings, Almighty
Power" Godered

Organ postlude "March Romania" Govned

Miss Margaret James, organist
H. Clark Thayer, director.

West Side M. E. Church
The following program will be ren-
dered at the West Side M. E. church
at 7:30 P. M.

Song Pastor

Prayer, Choir

Recitation, Alice Fleming

Recitation, Hobart McLaughlin

Primary Song

Exercise, Ploving

Recitation, Donald Fleming

Pennant drill, Class of girls

Primary exercise

Song Choir

Recitation, Gladys Shaw

Recitation, Pearl McLaughlin

Exercise, Class of boys

Song Choir

Recitation, Myrtle Mitchell

Exercise, "Giving Gifts"

Solo, Arnold Lansberry

Recitation, Ona Baughman

"The Rippling Stream" Class of girls

Exercise, "Easter Eggs"

Duet, Hobart and Frank McLaughlin

Exercise, Earl Shaw and class of girls

"Angels of Easter", Class of large
girls

Address Pastor

Song, Choir

Tableau, "Easter Story"

Exercise, Primary Class

Closing song, Choir

Allen M. E. Church

Following is the program at the
Allen M. E. church, West Side:

"Christ Arose" Chorus

Scripture reading

Prayer by Sister Harriet Chestnut.

Introduction of Mrs. Rose Williams,
president of the evening.

Recitation, Willis Carl

Recitation, Leona Chestnut

Duet, Francis and Beatrice Williams

Recitation, Louise Logan

Instrumental solo, Edward Mellon

Recitations, Carol Lane, Sara Bohan-
non, Maud Jenkins and Walter

Lane.

Recitation, Leslie Lane

Duet, Mr. Barrett and Wardlow

Singing, Choir

Select reading, Mrs. Nettie Murray

Recitation, Hattie Hall

Solo, Mrs. Hattie Frazier

Reading, Mrs. Eva Gross

Solo, Miss Ora Jones

Offering

Special Ink Evolved.

As the carbon of ordinary printing
inks does not bleach in using printed
material for new paper, a French firm
has patented a special ink. The black
pigment is a compound from tanbark
extracts acting on ferrous sulphate,
and this is incorporated with resin,
or mineral oil and resin, or boiled lin-
seed oil. In repulping the paper the
ink is bleached with an acid solution
of a hypochlorite, chlorine gas, or
hydrochloric or oxalic acid, the pulp
being made perfectly white.

Stock Definition.

Little Johnny, on being asked by
his school-teacher if he knew what
was meant by "at par," replied that
"Ma was always at pa when he came
home late."—Exchange.

Advertise in the Progress.

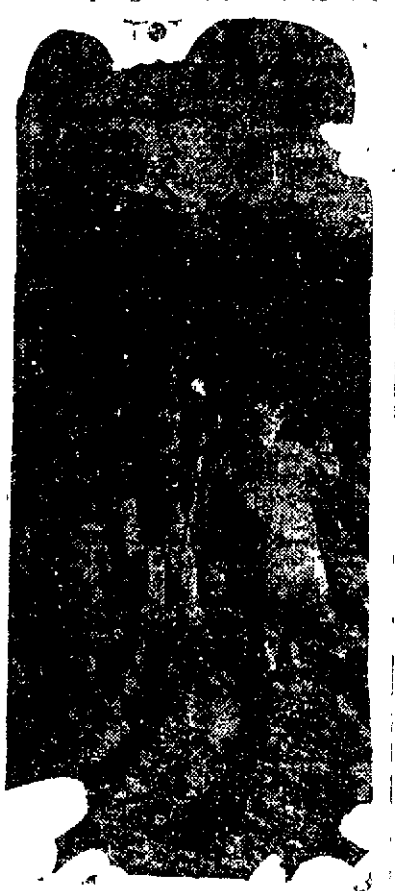
Farm and Garden

USE OF MECHANICAL SEEDER.

Distributes Seed More Evenly and Ef-
fects Great Saving in Quantity.

With clover, alfalfa, sweet clover
and all the grass seeds usually enough
seed is used to the acre for three or
four good stands. If every seed took
root and grew where it fell on the soil
there would be so many plants to the
square yard that none could grow well.
They would stand so thickly that they
would smother each other to death.
Where mechanical seeders are used to
distribute the seed uniformly over the
surface of the soil much less seed per
acre will be required. By using a me-
chanical seeder for uniform distribu-
tion and covering the seed mechanically
a saving of fully one-half of the seed
can be effected.

Some farmers are afraid to disturb
the soil of their wheat fields and mead-
ows in spring. Where clover or other



PLANTING SEED WITH HAND DRILL.

small seed is to be sown in wheat in
the spring the soil when dry may be
cut with a disk or toothed harrow
without any injury to the wheat. In
most cases the surface working will do
the wheat good, and it is a sure means
of planting the clover or grass seed. It
is good practice to cut the surface of a
thin meadow in spring with a disk har-
row for increasing the plants with clo-
ver or alfalfa, harrowing with a tooth-
ed harrow after cutting the surface
with the disk.

Sweet clover is coming into general
prominence all over the country. One
reason why more farmers do not grow
it or try it is that they have been told
animals will not eat the growing plants
nor the hay. It is true that most farm
animals will not eat sweet clover at
first, but as soon as they get a good
taste of it and become used to it they
will eat it as readily as the best corn
clover or alfalfa.

Sweet clover should be sown early in
the spring. It is a splendid crop to go
before alfalfa to inoculate and enrich
the soil. It grows rankly in wet soil
and will grow large in soil too dry for
almost any other cultivated plants.
If used for pasture, unlike alfalfa, stock
should be turned on it while the plants
are young, so they will learn to eat it
before it grows old and woody. It is a
biennial, like red clover, and will self
seed if allowed to form seed every
year.

The modern disk drill, of which there
are many good makes, is the only good
drill to use. Pages of space would be
required to tell of all its good merits
over the old style drill.—Iowa Home-
stead.

TO GET RID OF BEETLES.

If we could kill off all the June bugs
or May beetles we should have no
white grubs.

Each female beetle lays between fifty
and a hundred eggs, each of which is
pretty likely to hatch into a grub to
feed on corn roots, grains, strawberries
and the like.

There are three well known ways to
kill the beetles.

One is to spray poison on the leaves
of the trees on which they feed.

The second is to spread sheets, tarp-
aulins or canvas under the trees and
jar the beetles down with a battering
ram made of a plank with a cushion on
the end, similar to the scheme for col-
lecting the curculio.

The third takes advantage of the
beetles' fondness for a lamp at night.
Hang an ordinary barn lantern over a
tub of water on the surface of which is
a film of kerosene.

The latter plan seems most prom-
ising, as it induces the bugs to seek
their own destruction. They fall into
the oil when trying to do whatever
they try to do to the light.—Farm and
Fireside.

Special Easter Dinner

at the Dimpeling Hotel, tomorrow
from 1 till 2. Table reservations
may be made by either telephone.

Residence Lots For Sale

At \$125 to \$300 Each

Location—East End and West
Side City Water. Call on D. R.
Woodridge at Sheriff's office, both
phones.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1915

Mrs. H. B. Summer left yesterday
morning for Jersey Shore and Wil-
liamsport, where she will spend a few
days visiting friends.

Carl Whitman returned from
State college yesterday for Easter.
Staymen Reed is at home for Easter
vacation from Princeton univer-
sity.

Mrs. George Copelin, who has been
visiting friends here, returned to her
home in Madera yesterday.

Mark A. Caldwell, K. A. Sloppy
and Ed Wise, all of New Millport,
were court house visitors on Friday.

Mrs. J. O. Clark, of Glen Campbell,
was visiting with her sisters, Mrs. W.
J. Dufton and Mrs. Harry P. Dowler,
yesterday.

L. P. Genet, of the Clearfield Tex-
tile Co., is in Philadelphia this week
on business.

Mrs. A. R. Cowdrick is visiting her
father at Woodland, not her mother,
as was erroneously stated yesterday,
her mother being dead.

H. A. Reed and family, who have
been visiting relatives in Florida,
have returned to Mahaffey.

Mrs. Rachel Dobson and daughter,
Nellie left yesterday for DuBois,
where they will spend a few days
with Rev. T. W. English and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts, of DuBois, are
spending a few days with friends in
Clearfield.

Mrs. Esther B. Stealey, of Clarks-
burg, W. Va., arrived yesterday to
spend a few weeks with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stock.

Vern Bell, a prominent farmer of
New Millport, was a visitor to the
county seat on Good Friday.

Mrs. Sheridan Betz is visiting her
sister, Mrs. George Johnson, at Wash-
ington, D. C.

Miss Blanche Minnick spent yes-
terday in DuBois.

Mrs. Peter Turner left this morn-
ing for Warren, where her daughter
is seriously ill.

Mrs. M. P. Karstetter, of Cur-
wensville, was calling on friends and
shopping yesterday.

Mrs. M. J. Kelley and Miss Jean
Smith, of Curwensville, are visiting
Mrs. James Redding.

Miss Marion Bigler entertained her
Sunday school class today.

Paul Howe was in town yesterday
from Morrisdale.

Miss Celia Briel and sister, Gene-
vieve, of Karthaus, were shopping
here on Friday.

Rev. Montgomery returned yester-
day from Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hamilton, of
Philipsburg, were Clearfield shoppers
on Good Friday.

Lawhe Dorr returned yesterday
from Pierce Business college, Phila-
delphia, for a short vacation.

Attorneys W. C. Miller and A. L.
Cole were in DuBois yesterday on
business.

Fred Johnston, of Leominster
Mass., is visiting friends in Clear-
field.

Glasgow Traxell is home to spend
Easter with his mother.

Miss Alta Boyce, who is teaching
at Moshannon came home last night
to spend Easter with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. William Boyce.

Good Nature.
The world deals good-naturedly with
good natured people, says Thackeray,
and I never knew a sulky misanthrope
who quarreled with it but it was
he, and not it, that was in the wrong.

Simple Liniment.

Simple liniment that is good for a
strained back after a siege of house-
work calls for four tablespoonfuls of
strong ammonia, four tablespoonfuls
of alcohol, two large tablespoonfuls
of salt and about a quart of rainwa-
ter. Put these ingredients into a bot-
tle and shake well. As soon as the
salt is dissolved it is ready for use.
When needed, rub the back with the
liniment and continue the rubbing until
the surface is warm with the fric-
tion.

SPECIAL FITTING

OF

GOSSARD CORSETS

Tuesday, April 6th

Through a special arrangement with The H. W. Gossard
Company of Chicago, we have engaged Miss McNally of their
organization, to assist our Corsetiere in a special demonstration
of Gossard Corsets.

The radical change in styles this season from the slinker slouch to
the erect, well-poised, somewhat military form, calls for considerable care
and attention in the fitting of your new corset.

There is a decided tendency toward the adoption of a smaller waist
this season and a fitted bodice, with a return to the full skirt of former
periods. All of this has a direct bearing on your corset. Authentic infor-
mation regarding these new styles is yours for the asking during this dem-
onstration.

You can come and be fitted to any of the newer models and make your
selections at a later date, if you so desire. Whether you expect to purchase
your corset at this time or not, we suggest that you arrange to attend this
demonstration.

While the original front-lacing Gossard Corsets sold at \$25 some ten
years ago, increased manufacturing facilities and an international distribu-
tion have reduced the price until now you can purchase a Gossard Corset
for as little as \$5.00, \$3.50 and \$2.00.

It will be a privilege to serve you and to have you visit our Corset
Department some time during this demonstration.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

Wear
Gossard
CORSETS
They Last In Front.

SPECIAL ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the elec-
tors of the School District of the Bor-
ough of Clearfield, Pa. That in pur-
suance of a resolution passed by the
school board of said borough, at a
regular meeting of the board, held on
Tuesday evening, March 9th, 1915,
agreeing to submit the question of in-
creasing the indebtedness of the
school district one hundred thousand
(\$100,000.00) dollars, or so much
thereof as may be necessary, for the
purchasing of the necessary ground
and the erection and fitting up of a
High School Building.

And, whereas, by the provisions of
the Constitution of the State and the
Act of Assembly of April 20th, 1874,
and the supplements thereto, no bor-
ough, county or school district is
permitted to increase its indebtedness
to an amount exceeding two per cent
of the assessed valuation of the prop-
erty of said district, without the con-
sent of the qualified electors thereof
duly obtained by a public election to
be held in said district for said pur-
pose.

And, whereas, the said proposed in-
crease of the indebtedness of the dis-
trict, including the present indebted-
ness of the district as hereinafter set
forth, will exceed said limited amount
of two per cent, so that in pursuance
of said resolution:

A PUBLIC ELECTION WILL BE
HELD AT THE SEVERAL ELEC-
TION HOUSES IN SAID BOROUGH
ON FRIDAY, APRIL 16th, 1915, BE-
TWEEN THE HOURS OF 7 o'clock
A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., for the pur-
pose of securing the assent of the
qualified electors of the borough to
the said increase of \$100,000.00 in ad-
dition to the present indebtedness of
said district of \$60,000.00, when and
where every qualified elector of the
district is entitled to cast one ballot,
either printed or written, marked on
the outside, "increase of debt," and
on the inside, "debt may be increas-
ed" or "debt may not be increased,"
in accordance with the desire of the
voter casting the same.

In order to give the information
and not be required by law the follow-
ing statement is declared:
The amount of the last as-
sessed valuation of the
taxable property of the
school district is \$1,075,760.00
The existing bonded in-
debtedness of the district
is \$60,000.00
The existing floating debt
over assets is none
Making a total present in-

debtedness of \$60,000.00

The percentage of actual
increase as proposed is
.08-1-4 plus per cent, or
not to exceed \$100,000.00

Which will make the in-
debtedness of the district \$160,000.00
That an additional annual bond tax
of 2-1-2 mills is to be levied to be ap-
plied to the redemption of said bonds
and the payment of the interest on
the same as it comes due.

A. D. BIGLER,
President of School Board.

Attest:
A. G. KRAMER,
Secretary of the Board.

March 16th, 1915.

Doing Well on Small Means.
It is no small commendation to man-
age a little well. He is a good waggoner
that can turn in a little room.—Bishop
Hall.

FOR RENT—Excellent location
modern store room, DuBois, Pa., suit-
able for Ladies' or Gents' ready to
wear or Racket store. 17,000 popu-
lation. John W. Marshall, DuBois,
Pa.

FOR RENT—Bakery, DuBois, Pa., es-
tablished trade; City of 17,000; only
four bakeries. Excellent opportunity.
Rent \$15.
John W. Marshall, DuBois, Pa.

EASTER

EASTER FLOWERS and PLANTS

Take home a
Lily for Easter

CUT FLOWERS

Carnations, per doz.	75c to \$1.00
Roses, Killarney, per doz.	\$2.00 to \$2.50
Roses, American Beauty,	\$3.00 to \$12.00
Violets, per bunch,	\$1.50
Daisies, per bunch,	50c.
Daffadils, per doz.	75c.
Sweet Peas, per bunch,	50c.

POT PLANTS

Tulips and Hyacinths, each	15c and 30c
Easter Lillies, a bud	20c
Azalias, each	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Spiraeas, each	\$1.00 to \$1.50
Hydrangeas, each	\$1.00 to \$1.50

WM. BLACKER'S
Floral Store Third Street

EASTER SUNDAY PROGRAM

Festival Will be Celebrated in Local Churches

A JOYOUS OCCASION

Inspiring Music and Appropriate Songs Will be Order of The Day

Programs Which Give Promise of Good Cheer to Church Attendants and Sermons Which Will Diffuse the Spirit of the Glad Season Which All Persons Are Cordially Invited to Hear.

The brook has found its voice again,
The lark has found the blue,
The crocus bud has found the sun,
The sun has found the dew,
The butterfly has found the light,
The grass the green of May,
and Christians all find joyous life
On holy Easter day.

Despite the unfavorable weather, which will interfere somewhat with the annual Easter day parade of gaily bedecked women, there will be most enjoyable music at the various churches of the town. Ministers will also preach on themes appropriate to the occasion, and the spirit of the event which is celebrated on Easter day will generally prevail.

Below will be found programs of church services tomorrow:

Presbyterian Church
Following the week of special services in the Presbyterian church there have been a large number who have come out on the Lord's side, and together with those who are coming by letter from other churches, will be received into the church on Easter morning at the regular hour of service.

There will also be administered the rite of baptism upon all children presented by their parents at the morning service. Parents will notify Dr. Reese before Sabbath of their intention to come with their children for baptism. The pastor will preach in the morning on the theme, "Easter," and in the evening on the subject, "When it is Hard to Be a Christian."

The choir has been making great preparation for the Easter music. Below are the musical numbers which will be given morning and evening on Easter day. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend these services:

Morning Service
Organ prelude, "Resurrection Morn."
Anthem, "Behold There Was a Great Earthquake."
Dedication, "Faith."
Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple."
Anthem, "Gallilean, Thou Hast Conquered."
Postlude.
Evening Service
Organ prelude, "Inlandia."
Anthem, "Hallelujah Christ is Risen."
Dedication, "At Twilight."
Anthem, "Lift Your Glad Voices."
Postlude.
Trinity M. E.

The following musical numbers will be rendered at Trinity M. E. church tomorrow:

Morning Service, 10:45
Organ prelude, "Nocturnette D'Every."
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WONT YOU BE OUR EASTER BUNNY?



BIG MARINE LINES ARE IN TROUBLE

(By United Press)
New York, April 3.—Receiver's papers for the International Merchant Marine company, formed by the late J. P. Horgan, were filed in the United States court by the New York Trust Co., for \$50,000,000. This is the largest shipping corporation of its kind in America, having in its control the White Star, Red Star, American, Atlantic, Transfer and Weyland steamship lines. The company was formed in 1902 and its losses are due to the European war.

Texas Hold Revival
(By United Press)
Dallas Texas, April 3.—Thirty-three preachers and singers from all parts of the south will come to Dallas for the simultaneous Baptist evangelistic campaign which opens tomorrow and continues for three weeks. Dr. Weston Bruner, secretary of evangelism of the Southern Baptist convention, is in charge of the campaign.

Secretary Bodine Arrives
Harry E. Bodine, secretary of the Clearfield Chamber of Commerce, is in town and will begin his duties next week.

Betting Favored Willard

(By United Press)
Havana, April 3.—Sensational betting here today favored Willard six to five in the world's championship bout, which takes place here on Easter Monday. The betting was seven to five last night with Johnson on the long end.

Rumor has it that arrangements have been made for Willard to win. This report was not heard until the arrival of many fight fans from the United States. The seat sale thus far amounts to \$100,000 with an expected attendance of 200,000 fans.

Hospital Whist Club
The Hospital Bridge Whist club will not meet until Wednesday, April 14, at which time Mrs. Howe will be hostess.
4-3-2t Secretary

MORE EFFICIENCY PROMISED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Key and Better Plans for Protection of Health Have Been Worked Out

Local Body Meets With Dr. Hunt of the State Department, and a Complete Reorganization of the Clearfield Board Will Result—Negligent Parents Responsible for Spread of Contagious Disease.

Dr. J. J. Hunt, of the state department of health, at Harrisburg met with the local board of health in council chamber last night. He dispelled all previous erroneous opinions formed by some of our citizens to the effect that the central department was not interested in the health of the borough. Through the advice of Dr. Hunt, a new and elaborate plan of reorganization of the local department was worked out upon an efficiency basis.

Many Cases Not Reported
The present epidemic of scarlet fever and measles was analyzed. The measles outbreak shows that there have been a number of cases not reported by householders, and these cases have infected many others. There have been ninety-three cases in the present epidemic. The crop of scarlet fever proves the contention of the local department that many cases of mild scarlet fever have been concealed by parents, and these have infected others. Fifty per cent. of the cases being in children and adults above the age of twelve. One thing to be emphasized just here, is that kidney disease follows the mild cases just as often as it does the very severe ones. If such cases are carefully supervised by physicians the permanent after effects can be reduced to a minimum.

The Local Board Complimented
Dr. Hunt complimented the board upon recent changes made with a view to having increased efficiency. From April first there will be an officer whose entire time will be devoted to health matters. He will be found at the council chamber (H & C 41x) from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. and from 1 to 2 P. M. Citizens should address all complaints to O. B. McLaughlin, secretary of the board of health.

Cooperation Necessary
The cooperation of all the citizens of Clearfield is necessary to secure the required results in health affairs. The cooperation of A. R. C. who so often are called a society of the board of health, is necessary. The cooperation of the church is necessary. The cooperation of the school is necessary. The cooperation of the business community is necessary. The cooperation of the entire community is necessary. Any who wish to unite with the church can meet the session at that hour.

Found Their Camp But Foxes Non Est

A number of sportsmen, under the chaperonage of President Baiston, of the Crooked Run Hunting club, went to the club house this week to see what the winter had done to the camp and try to secure several foxes, said to be abundant in that region. The hunters discovered that the porch of the club house had been broken down, but whether by the heavy snow or the campers, they could not tell. Foxes were not in evidence while the hunters were in the vicinity, and after several days fruitless search they started home.

When the party reached the dam on their way to town a dispute arose as to whether the shells in their guns had been properly loaded, and to test the matter they began shooting at objects across the dam. Some of the shells actually reached the other side of the stream. While all of the guns were empty several wild ducks passed over the heads of the sportsmen, much to the chagrin of the sportsmen.

Signs of game were plentiful at the camp but not tracks of the notorious white-tailed or gray-tailed were seen, and it is believed that the natives have been so numerous during the past winter when the snow was deep. There is so full of trout that the fish have not had a chance to grow to their full size and none over fifteen inches were seen.

New Boston Subway Opens
(By United Press)
Boston April 3.—A new subway station, between the Park street station and Washington street, of the Dorchester tunnel will be opened tomorrow, principally benefiting the shopping public.

Special Easter Dinner
at the Dining Hotel tomorrow from 1 till 2. Table reservations may be made by either telephone.

On Easter Day

By EARL MARBLE.

"Peace on earth,
Good will toward men."
In sweet love's death
Not voice nor pen
E'er gave words spoke
Of greater scope
To stumbling folk
Who darkly grope.

Down, brighter moon of all the year,
And bring Christ's spirit with thee here,
That all may sing in loud acclaim,
"All hail the power of Jesus' name!"
Come hither thou whose day is this
The while men read of heavenly bliss,
Grieve them by tone with promise fair
When they shall climb death's golden stair.

Throughout the week
Of holy thought
When minds are weak
With good were fraught,
The steps have trod
In upward ways
The whole toward God
Earned not his gaze
The spirit, Christ,
Purifies our soul
That each may proceed
Some marked goal
Max drink the wine
And 'scape carnal prison
In the Easter sign
That "He Is Risen."

LEGISLATION IS NEEDED TO MAKE LAW OPERATIVE

Borough Cannot Increase Debt Without Further Action of State Assembly

Constitution Points Way by Which Indebtedness May be Increased but Legislation is Required Before Provisions of Constitution Can be Carried Into Execution—Solicitor Urey Explains Case.

Borough Solicitor Urey this morning handed to Representative Phillips the following communication, which is self-explanatory and relates to the situation in Clearfield anent the proposition to purchase the Clearfield water plant:

Dear Sir—Section 15 of article 9 of the constitution of Pennsylvania, which you will find in the laws of 1913, page 1479, and which is an amendment to the original constitution, contains two provisions for the increase of municipal debt for the purpose of purchasing waterworks etc. The first provision confines the lien of the debt created to the waterworks or properties purchased, and the second provision will enable municipalities to increase their debt to ten per centum of the assessed valuation, if assented to by three-fifths of the electors voting at a public election, in such manner as shall be provided by law.

"A constitution cannot execute itself. It is a frame or plan of government. It lays down certain great and fundamental principles, according to which the several departments it calls into existence are to govern the people; but all auxiliary rules which are necessary to give effect to these principles must, from the necessity of the case, come from the legislature. Indeed, it is for this very purpose the constitution establishes a legislature."

—Commonwealth vs. Maxwell, 27 Pa., page 456.
There has been no legislation passed to put into operation the provisions of section 15 of article 9 of the constitution. There is no law on the statute books passed by the legislature of Pennsylvania which prescribes the method by which a municipality may issue obligations and confine the lien of these obligations to any particular property, neither is there any law prescribing the method for conducting an election to increase the debt of a municipality to ten per centum of the assessed valuation.

The preliminary draft of the bill conferring the existing general law relating to boroughs, section 2 of article 1, chapter 5, includes from its provisions the right of municipalities to increase their debt to ten per centum of the assessed valuation. It is therefore necessary to have some legislation outside of the existing law in order to put the amendment into effect. It is proposed to have the bill introduced at the next session of the assembly.

In order that the borough of Clearfield may increase the plant of the water works, the bill must be introduced at the next session of the assembly.

The Schultz Meetings Will Close Tomorrow

The revival services at the Baptist church will end Sunday evening. There will be four big meetings tomorrow. Mr. Schultz speaks at the morning service, and also at the Paradise chapel at 2:00 o'clock. There will be a men's meeting at 8:30 in the afternoon at the church. The men of the New York Central yards are planning to come in a body. There will be special music. An invitation is extended to other men's organizations. The final service starts at 7:30 Sunday evening. Come early and avoid the rush. Evangelistic services will also be held tonight at the usual time.

MR. BARCLAY'S COMMISSION HAS NOT YET ARRIVED

John C. Barclay, appointed postmaster of Clearfield by President Wilson, is awaiting the arrival of his commission, and when that important document reaches him he will take charge of the office. It was expected that the commission would be here before the first of April, but it did not arrive. Mr. Barclay has all the necessary papers in shape for assuming his duties as soon as the commission reaches him.

Kansas Horse Show (By United Press)

Leavenworth, Kan., April 3.—Several events for officers, ladies and enlisted men were on the card at the sixth annual horse show of the Fort Leavenworth Field club which opened this afternoon in the riding hall.

MRS. CARMAN WILL HAVE SECOND TRIAL

(By United Press)
Minneapolis, N. Y., April 3.—Mrs. Florence Conklin Carman, wife of Dr. Edwin Carman of Freeport, will go on trial again, charged with the murder of Mrs. Louis Bailey. District Attorney Smith of Nassau county announced yesterday that the case would be called on May 10 and that the Appellate Division of the Supreme court had assigned Justice Abel E. Blackmar to preside at the trial.

The district attorney indicated that he had discovered new evidence. He declined, however, to discuss this new evidence and said that he and counsel for Mrs. Carman had arranged not to discuss the case in any manner prior to the trial.

Since the first trial, the district attorney said Cella Coleman, the negroess employed in the Carman home, has been watched constantly by detectives, and can be produced at any time. She is believed to be in the South now. Frank Carroll, the tramp, who testified that he had seen a woman answering Mrs. Carman's description, run away from the window through which Mrs. Bailey was shot, has disappeared and all efforts to find him have failed. All the other witnesses for the prosecution, it was said, are available.

Two Men Cremated At Kane

(By United Press)
Kane, Pa., April 3.—John Spindola, 32 and Joseph Spindola, 30, were burned to death in a fire which burned fifty cars of charcoal at the plant of the McKean Chemical Co. at Mahanogah today.

BILLY SUNDAY OPENS REVIVAL IN PATTERSON

(By United Press)
Patterson, N. J., April 3.—Billy Sunday and his soul-saving brigade arrived here today to open a revival of several weeks' duration. Sunday has been resting at his home at Winona Lake, Ind., since his recent campaign at Philadelphia. He will remain here six weeks.

Germans Continue to Sink British Steamers

(By United Press)
London, April 3.—The British steamship "Hull" was sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland. The ship was carrying a large number of passengers and crew. The German submarine was seen to fire several torpedoes at the ship, and the ship was sunk within a few minutes. The passengers and crew were rescued by a British destroyer. The German submarine was not seen after the attack.

GERMAN CRUISER ESCAPES

Report That Eitel Friedrich Made Her Getaway

NO CONFIRMATION

All Wires Between Newport News and Outside World Are Down

German Ambassador Has Received No News of the Sailing of the Ship—Yesterday the Vessel Was Loading With Provisions and Called Two Tugs to Help Her Out of the Harbor.

(By United Press)

Washington, D. C., April 3.—According to information received here from Baltimore by the weather bureau, the Prinz Eitel Friedrich escaped last night. The bureau has no communication with Newport News, owing to a severe storm which raged there last night, all wires being broken.

There is keen interest here concerning the vessel's escape. As yet there has been no verification of the report.

The night was ideal for the escape on account of a heavy northeast storm with a very hazy sky. If the report is untrue, the Eitel Friedrich will never have a better chance to escape.

Is Not Confirmed
New York, April 3.—The German consulate here is disinclined to believe that the Prinz Eitel Friedrich has escaped as he has received no word of any kind regarding it and says that if it were true he would likely know something about it.

Has No News
Washington, April 3.—The German ambassador has received no news of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and has no prospect of a wire for some time.

Tugs Were Ready
Newport News, Va., April 3.—Two tugs from the Norfolk navy yard arrived here shortly after noon yesterday and moored at the Prinz Eitel Friedrich's pier. One tug, the "Pa'dow" through which Mrs. Bailey was shot, has disappeared and all efforts to find him have failed. All the other witnesses for the prosecution, it was said, are available.

Efforts to ascertain the mission of the tugs and officials were unavailing. United States artillerymen with bayoneted rifles turning back inquirers 30 yards from the pier.

Still No News
Washington, April 3.—The navy department was successful in securing a wire to Norfolk this morning, but no answer was received concerning the departure of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich which the department could have confirmed.

EIGHT MEN ACCUSED OF DEFRAUDING COUNTIES

Eight men have been lodged in the Elk county jail, accused of fraudulently disposing of waste lands in various counties of this section of the state. The men are residents of Wilkes, Elk county, and are said to have collected hundreds of dollars in Elk, Clearfield, Jefferson, Warren and McKean counties, their plan being to import waste lands from states in which no bounty on waste lands is paid, securing the title at a low figure and then selling the land at a profit of \$2 each from the county tax in which they were sold.

Advertise in the Progress.

Russians on Offensive Along Their Whole Front

(By United Press)
London, April 3.—The Russian official report issued last night makes it clear that the Germans in North Poland are being pushed back to the sea to the Rumanian border and in East Prussian border, and that in the Caucasus, and, according to Stockholm dispatch, they have concentrated an enormous number of soldiers on the coast of Finland to prevent any attempt by the Germans to land there.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1915

Good evening! It would be a good idea for you to place the scriptural question, "Am I my brother's keeper?" not far from the motto, "God Bless Our Home."

We suggest that the local Democrats wash their dirty linen in Stinky run.

But nobody has ever asserted that it was a milliner who put the stir in Easter.

However, that local Democratic squabble is very disgusting to intelligent people.

Some men are rewarded for fealty to party, and others are rewarded for betraying their party.

Don't wait until your neighbor starts to clean up his premises; get to work on your own lot at once.

Not many women can fish with success, but when it comes to holding the line at a railroad ticket office she has no peer.

Still, there are a good many young girls in Clearfield who do not need a pretty bonnet to make them attractive at any time of the year.

If parents were to make their homes as attractive as pool rooms are probably their young sons would remain at home in the evenings.

According to the report of the Philadelphia municipal hospital authorities the tango is beneficial to the nurse. Works both ways, eh?

With fifty thousand bottles of medicine held the Blind Friedrich seems to be preparing for a dash at which the crowd none to his comparatively sober when they heard the warning.

"Verboten" is a German word meaning it is forbidden, and there are many officials in this state who seem to think they are "verboten" to enforce any of the laws governing municipalities.

From now forward the Chamber of Commerce will give an imitation of a dynamic force seeking to improve industrial conditions in Clearfield, and every citizen should encourage the chamber in its good work.

Some inquisitive individual of the male persuasion has been presenting figures to show that college girls do not take to matrimony after they graduate, the statistician probably wishing to bring cheer to old bachelors.

A writer in a Pittsburg newspaper, apologizing for the firing by German submarine crews on helpless passengers on torpedoed vessels, says "every means of protection is fair." That's what the burglar and assassin also think.

With the associate editor holding to we salaried offices, two honorary offices and desirous of holding another salaried office, he should be able to persuade the editor that the "one term only" fake will not go down with the voters this year.

Every act of the captain of the pital Friedrich since his ship entered an American port has proven that he was not the least regard for international law or the dictates of humanity. The government will make a mistake if it does not forcibly incite the German freeboater.

In the meantime Americans are being murdered in Mexico, and the president of the United States forgets these attacks to praise Mexico for paying a few thousand dollars to the family of a murderer and forgives the insults to the American flag at

tendant upon that assassination. Great is Woodrow, the Dreamer.

German-Americans are showing photographs depicting the kindness of German soldiers to the little children of Belgium, but there were no pictures taken of the many scenes of horrors in which other German soldiers participated. All German soldiers are not bad, nor are all of them good.

Some newspaper will be mean enough one of these days to print the planks of the Baltimore convention which have been repudiated by President Wilson. About the only declaration of the last Democratic national convention left standing is that Woodrow Wilson is the greatest man that ever walked in shoe leather.

UNNECESSARY SUFFERING

It may do no good at this time to remind those who have been defying the health laws of the borough that children who have been suffering from measles for the past several months would have escaped that suffering had the first cases of the ailment been reported by parents, giving the health board a chance to establish a strict quarantine. The local board of health has done all it could to prevent the spread of contagious diseases and to enforce the quarantine laws, but the board could not know of the cases of measles which thoughtless or ignorant parents or law-defying physicians hid from the board.

What kind of a report the representative of the state health department who was here this week will make about the conditions in Clearfield so far as they relate to contagious diseases no one knows, but there will be much in that report, no doubt, which will prove of benefit to the people of this borough. The state legislature might make it much easier for boards of health to prevent the spread of contagious diseases if it were to pass a law making it a penal offense for any parent or other person to violate the quarantine laws or for any physician to seek to conceal the existence of contagious diseases in families.

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT

Philadelphia surgeons, at a meeting in that city the other evening, took occasion to criticize the management of hospitals in Pennsylvania. It was asserted by one gentleman that the hospitals in this state are so badly managed that many of them should not receive financial support from the legislature. While there is need of a better system in some of the hospitals the arraignment of a majority of them as being unfit to exist is unjust.

These surgeons should remember that many of the hospitals are unable to equip their various departments in the manner in which the big hospitals are able to do because of the money they receive from the state. In the country hospitals there is always the lack of funds to stand in the way of that efficiency which makes for successful treatment of patients. That most of the smaller hospitals do the best possible under the circumstances even the most skeptical of these wise gentlemen ought in all fairness to acknowledge.

The assertion that many hospitals are conducted in the interests of private individuals is not entirely true. There may be hospitals which are merely experimental stations for physicians and surgeons, but there are not many of these. The small hospitals are supported in a great measure by public contributions, and the public would not long submit to conditions which would spell inefficiency and favoritism in the hospitals. If the small hospitals are not equipped with the latest and best means of saving life or lessening pain it is not the fault of the hospitals, but of the state, which appropriates most of the money intended for charitable institu-

tions to the hospitals in the larger cities.

KALBFUS SHOULD PAY

Judge Bell was not giving expression to his private views when he set aside that part of the verdict in the Dickinson deer case which placed the costs of the suit upon Secretary Kalbfus, of the state game commission. The judge had a precedent of a mandate of the supreme court to guide him. There is some consolation to those who believed that Secretary Kalbfus should have paid these costs in the knowledge that the county of Clearfield cannot be mulcted in these costs.

That deer case has become a nuisance in the eyes of the people of Clearfield county, and the taxpayers and the friends of true sportsmen hope that the final chapter in the farcical proceedings has been written. Under the decision of Judge Bell nobody will be paid—barring the attorneys—for having gone to the trouble of acting as witnesses or in doing work necessary to having the case tried, unless Secretary Kalbfus comes forward like a man and liquidates the indebtedness, which was incurred through the mistaken zeal of agents of the game commission.

THE EASTER FESTIVAL

Tomorrow the glad Easter festival will be celebrated in all Christian lands. The event marks the close of Lent, which all good people observe. In the churches the ministers will preach on the theme of the risen Christ, and songs of joy will resound everywhere.

Easter Sunday is supposed to usher in a season of gladness. Nature, generally, begins to put on her spring attire and humanity, copying after nature, dons its best bib and tucker and gives an exhibition of the milliner and dressmaker's art. This year Old Winter seriously interferes with both programs.

However, in warmed churches or in the home, there is no ban upon the people who wish to celebrate Easter as it was celebrated in the long ago. The opportunity to listen to sermons dealing with the resurrection of the Christ, to hear songs of hallelujah and to commune with their own hearts and consciences, these are the privileges and the duty of all Christian people.

AN EASTER SONG

A song of sunshine through the rain,
Of spring across the snow,
A balm to heal the hurts of pain,
A peace surpassing woe.
Lift up your heads, ye sorrowing ones,
And be ye glad of heart,
For Calvary and Easter Day,
Earth's saddest day and gladdest day,
Were just one day apart.

With shudd'ry of despair and loss
The world's deep heart was wrung,
As lifted high upon His cross,
The Lord of Glory hung.
When rocks were rent and earth
Shook to its very core,
Sole forth in street and mart
But Calvary and Easter Day,
Earth's blackest day and whitest day,
Were just one day apart!

No hint or whisper stirred the air
To tell what joy should be;
The sad disciples grieving there,
Nor help nor hope could see.
Yet all the while the glad, near sun
Made ready its swift dart,
And Calvary and Easter Day,
The darkest day and brightest day,
Were just one day apart!
—Susan Coolidge.

SIX SMALL SMILES

Marvels of Science
"Some day we'll be telephoning through the air without wires."
"Maybe. But won't it be queer to have an operator call back to you and say, 'The air is busy now?'"—Washington Star.

A Mind Reader
"What makes you sure your congressman is not speaking his mind frankly and freely?"
"The weather," replied Farmer Cornsossel. "If he spoke frankly and freely he wouldn't offer any remarks except motions to adjourn."—Washington Star.

Can You Beat It?
Father-in-law—Look here, young man, don't you think it's about time you were going to work, or do you expect me to support you the rest of your life?
Son-in-law—It would be no more than fair, just after what I have done for you.
"I'd like to know what you've ever done for me?"
"Why, didn't I take your daughter off your hands?"—Boston Transcript.

Not a Mathematician
Judge—What is your occupation?
Witness—I'm an expert on figures.
Judge—Oh, a mathematician, eh?
Witness—No, your honor. I select

Rose From Newsboy to Become Express Chief

New York, April 3.—"The boy who sells newspapers in the street has the same opportunity of rising to a high position in life as has the college-educated or rich man's son," asserts H. K. Brooks, vice-president of the American Express company.

Mr. Brooks is eminently qualified to speak on the subject, as he has risen from a newsboy to his present position in charge of that corporation's enormous financial business throughout the world.

"Between the ages of twelve and fourteen I was obliged to assist my father and mother in the support of their large family," said Mr. Brooks yesterday. "I secured a position with the local butcher driving a delivery wagon after school hours."

"One day, when I was fifteen, a boy asked me how I would like to fill his position as a newsboy on the New York & Oswego Midland, operating between Norwich and Oswego, N. Y. I accepted this position and continued as a train newsboy for several years."

"Almost every one poked fun at me on account of my appearance. I soon discovered there was some advantage in my appearance, for I was a very small boy for my age, and my bright red hair attracted much attention."

"When ever the country boy and his sweetheart come aboard the train, I would always call my attention to it. If business was not very good, I would ask the country girl if she would have some peanuts, and, pretending I thought she said 'Yes,' I would pour a cupful in her lap. The farmer boy would usually pay for them rather than let me scoop them up again; but, of course, I always offered to do so."

"At the age of seventeen, by studying hard evenings, I qualified for a clerical position, and inside of a year I was advanced from office boy to agent of the coal department of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railway at Utica, N. Y."

"Not having lived at home after I was fifteen, I was made very happy one day by receiving a letter from my father stating he had purchased a store at Jamestown, N. Y., and wanted me as a partner. I remained in business with him for a few years, and then got the Western fever. One of my friends secured for me a position at Milwaukee in the freight depot of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway."

"One Sunday I wrote letters for a position to every large concern in Milwaukee, among them the American Express company. Next day I was requested to call upon the general agent and was employed. My first position was as money order clerk, and every time there was a change in the office force, where the position paid more than I was receiving, I applied for it, and, as a rule, succeeded in convincing my employers I was the best man for the position."

"Right here I want to say a word to young men who are earnestly striving to better themselves. Do not be afraid to ask for promotion or increase in salary if you feel sure you are deserving of it. It often happens where there are a large number employed you are not thought of, and some one else less capable and less deserving is selected because he is more progressive and more persistent than yourself."

"My observation of men is that most of them simply perform the particular duties to which they are assigned in a mechanical way and never try to improve methods or learn the work of others, and as a result they practically stand still in the matter of promotion and salary."

"I have seen men who have been in the same position for years and years and who have never been promoted, and I have seen others who have been promoted and who have never been in the same position for years and years."

"In Pennsylvania, the medical profession is in a very bad way. I have seen many hospitals that are in a very bad way. I have seen many hospitals that are in a very bad way. I have seen many hospitals that are in a very bad way."

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The Prize Egg

An Easter Story

THE shops all along the main street were full of Easter suggestions. One confectioner's window was entirely filled with chocolate covered eggs of all sizes, and a large placard announced: "Each egg in this window contains a valuable and unique prize. All eggs are the same price, 25 cents. Each egg will open on Easter morning."

Passersby paused to look and read the notice, and not a few entered the shop to purchase.

Presently a winsome looking girl and a very tall young man paused in front of the window. He looked inquiringly at her, and she smiled; then they went in, coming out again in a few minutes carrying a small box.

That evening at the girl's home they opened the package and examined the egg.

"Shall we break it," she questioned, "or wait until Easter and see what happens?"

"Oh, let's wait!" he answered. "I don't suppose it will have anything worth while inside, and it may not even open, though of course that could be chemically arranged."

The egg was again put in its box and laid away where the girl promised it would remain until the arrival of the man on Easter morning.

Easter dawned fair and beautiful, and while it was quite early the man arrived to find the girl anxiously waiting him.

They opened the box with care and gently laid the egg on the table. The surface of chocolate was as smooth as when purchased.

For half an hour they watched it closely and were about to give up when the girl noticed a faint crack across the top. Very slowly it spread—in fact, almost imperceptibly—until, quite without realizing how it happened or when, the two halves of the egg lay on the table and between them a small object wrapped in tissue paper.

Very gingerly she tore off the paper and cried in disgust when she saw only a dirty old silver dollar.

"Still," he exclaimed practically, "a dollar is a dollar, no matter how old it is." He took it from her and looked at it closely, feeling it all over, when the eagle opened, and the face of a woman smiled up at him.

"Oh!" Suddenly he raised it to his lips, kissing it passionately.

The girl's expression instantly changed from sweet winsomeness to a jealous fury, and she snatched the dollar from him.

"How dare you kiss that woman when you say you love me!" She fairly hissed the words, and her angry eyes devoured the lovely features of the almost faded picture.

He took it gently from her, holding it tenderly in his hand, while he put his arm around her, and there was wonder in his voice when he spoke.

"Strange and improbable as it seems, that is my mother's photograph."

"How curious!" she murmured from his shoulder.

"You see how thin and worn the dollar is!" he continued. "That is because my father carried it for ten years, and then one day absentmindedly he spent it. He never knew where or how, but it was gone, and he was never able to find a trace of it, though I don't believe he has ever given up trying."

"I think mother told it until she saw how it worried father; then she made light of it by saying she wondered whose husband was carrying her picture now."

"How glad they will be!" He raised the eagle to look once more into the beautiful tender eyes that, so the girl thought at the moment, were exactly like his.

"I thought I would be afraid of her," the girl said slowly, "but I won't be unless she has changed. Has she?"

"Only to become more beautiful. This was taken before I was born."

"You will change that way some day, dear, and I shall watch you as my father watched her. You do love me, I know it now," he said with conviction, "for you were jealous when I kissed the picture, and you couldn't be unless you cared."

Once more she gazed upon the picture; then, closing the dollar, she slipped it into his vest pocket.

"Take it to her, dear," she hesitated, "and tell her it came out of a prize egg, but that a girl who hopes some day to be loved as much as she is sends it, and."

"Then," he interrupted, "you're going to say yes today?"

"I'm still in doubt about lots of things, but I do love you, and I want a beautiful mother to love me, and."

"You darling!" He lifted her off her feet for a second and crushed her to him.

As he put her down they both noticed the egg had closed, and only a faint crack showed where it had been split.

"Yes, it's a strange egg," he said in answer to her questioning, "but what I said about the action of chemicals accounts for the closing as well as the opening. But whatever it is it has served its purpose here in giving me the prize."

In the Garden.

"Who, supposing him to be the gentleman?" said one of the other and our hearts were glad."

"He would be true to the loved and fair. And we were in the tomb behind thee. Ah, 'No more!'"

"Put on the golden robe, and the— Mary, please! Roberts in Lippincott's."

Indictment of the Cat.

"Many an innocent hawk, skunk, owl or weasel," says a government bureau, "has been shot for the needs of the sleek high-woman, the house cat." It is safe to say that this marauder, which enjoys all the comforts and protection of the home, destroys in the wastebags more wild birds and young poultry than all their natural enemies combined."

TEMPERANCE TIDINGS

Research and News.

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Industrial Prohibition Spreads

The Milton Manufacturing company, the American Car and Foundry company, and S. J. Shimer & Sons, of Milton, Pennsylvania, have issued absolute orders demanding that their employees abstain from alcohol and refuse to sign license petitions or otherwise indicate sympathy for the saloon.

Thirty men were discharged by the American Car and Foundry company because they signed liquor license applications.

It is not desired to regulate the opinions of the employees in regard to prohibition, but the stand is taken that the man who signs a liquor license application does not properly appreciate the danger of liquor to himself and the community. He is, therefore, not a safe employe for a concern demanding efficiency.

"Indulgence in the use of liquors is a menace to all business interests," declared George S. Shimer, president of the Milton Manufacturing company. "If the employees should be protected by the employer, why shouldn't the employer be as well protected by the employe? Our employes have congratulated us upon the step we have taken."

Heads of the other companies involved gave similar reason for their action.

"Rouse him at noon in the bushes, follow and press him hard—Nor for his ragings and roarings, Birch we from Adam-zad; When he shows as seeking quarter, with paws like hands in prayer—THAT is the time of peril—the time of the truce of the Bear."

No Alcohol, More Work. (Correspondence from England.)

In an explanatory note accompanying the Budget bill, the Russian minister of finance states that the termination of the mobilization has permitted the gradual re-establishment of the circulation of merchandise.

Thus the loading of goods trucks during November was only 23 per cent. below that of November, 1913. Except in the inconsiderable portion of the country occupied by the enemy, the industrial life of the country has not shown any sensible diminution. The situation is relatively favorable and is explained by the increase in the productivity of the worker owing to the suppression of the sale of alcohol. The increase of productivity has reached 20 to 50 per cent. and compensates, largely for the diminution in the number of workers due to the call to the colours.

Tennessee, which had a long and bitter struggle with law-defying wets, has just passed an order bill, and it is said that Memphis, the capital of the revolution, is now as dry as Sahara.

"There can be but one conclusion as to the general effect of prohibition: It is for the better." So says Mr. Thomas Hawker, president of the Farmers bank of Stinson, West Virginia.

The newspapers of New Jersey have recently been approached by a brewery offer to take large advertising space under a condition that the paper shall not editorially favor local option or state prohibition.

Fines aggregating \$12,000 and jail sentences totaling 17,871 days have been assessed against 62 convicted violators of the local option liquor of Nevada. (Times.) Local prohibition is not what it should be, still it does a little business now and then.

"There has been a marked improvement in public manners as well as in financial matters since the adoption of state-wide prohibition," says George P. Moore, president of the First National bank, Marlinton, West Virginia.

A Day of Spiritual Joy

Easter should be a day of spiritual joy, a day for the celebration of the resurrection of the spirit, a day in which spiritual considerations should be more prominent. Any secular or civil activities that interfere with the pure spiritual observance of the day should be discouraged. There is a tendency to over-emphasize fashions. It should be earnestly discouraged.

Jesus Christ announced the important truth that the glory of his resurrection was the fruit of his Passion. I mean the accidental glory incident to his humanity, not the essential glory inherent in his deity.

While two of his disciples were going from Jerusalem to Emmaus, discussing on the crucifixion, Jesus, in the guise of a stranger, joined them, and they said to him: "We had hoped that Christ would redeem Israel from gentile bondage and would re-establish the kingdom on a grander scale and rule as a conqueror. But our hopes are shaken, for he died a shameful death on the cross." And Jesus said to them: "Foolish and slow of heart, to believe in all things which the prophets have spoken. Ought not Christ to have suffered these things and so to enter into his glory?"

If he had not trod the path of suffering and humiliation he would not be the Messiah foretold by the prophets.—Cardinal Gibbons.

The Story That the Easter Lily Is Telling



Easter In Various Lands

In nearly all Christian countries the recurrence of Easter has been celebrated with various ceremonies and popular sports and observances.

In the Netherlands, or Holland, a country famed for its flowers, especially tulips, blossoms play a large part in the day's celebration. For days before the holiday the Dutch canals bear on their placid surfaces many barges laden high with fragrant and showy masses of bloom.

Some of the Easter customs in the various countries are curious indeed. In the north of England you may still hear the old rhyme:

Tid, mid and misera,
Carling, palm and Pasch egg day.
The first line refers to Christmas, the Epiphany and Lent. Carlings are

A great deal of bird lore is linked with the stories of the Passion. There is a Danish legend that as Christ was suffering on the cross three birds came and alighted upon it. One cried, "styrk ham! styrk ham!" (Strengthen him! Strengthen him!), and since that time the stork has been known as a bird of strength and blessing. The second, it was interpreted, cried, "Sval ham! Sval ham!" (Refresh him! Refresh him!), and the swallow was likewise thought to be a bird of blessing. But the third cried, "Puen ham!" (Torment him!), and so from that hour the lawing has been accused among birds.

The Swedish legend is the same, with the addition of a fourth bird, the mustardow, which, flying thither, cried, "Kyriel, Kyriel" (Lord, Lord), and its voice has ever since been limited to that single word of lament.

An owl, according to the Spanish was so dazzled by the sunlight it did not perceive that it had alighted upon the cross. But as night came on it saw and, frightened, called "Cruz! Cruz!" (Cross! Cross!) as it flew away. And from that moment the owl has been kept repeating this cry and has been able to see only after darkness falls.

The crossbill in an unsuccessful effort to find out one of the nails which fastened the Saviour to the cross twisted its beak and dyed its plumage with the martyr's blood. Concerning the robin there is a similar tradition, expressed in verse, as follows:

To the Saviour's throbbing head
She fondly strove, His blood, she said,
Dyed all her tender bosom red.
Since then no hand disturbs her nest,
So proudly boasts her young ones' nest—
That sacred bird of lucky omen.

Easter Lilies Grown in America.

There is said to be but one small section in the United States where Easter lilies will grow profusely and blossom at Easter time. This is La Palmas, a few miles below Brownsville, Tex.

Potted flowers for Easter Gifts

Rhododendrons are being used extensively as Easter gifts. The beauty of the flowers alone would recommend them, but in addition they can be planted out of doors in many places soon after Easter Sunday and become part of the shrubbery. No plants are more gorgeous or effective. Even when not in flower the evergreen plant is attractive. The flowers increase in size and bounty each year. Madam Felix and Pink Pearl are two exquisite varieties. Others are Abraham Lincoln, Delicata, Rosa, and Elegans and Caractus.

The fuchsias grown in standard shapes are attractive and make stylish Easter gifts. Fuchsias, or lady's ear drops, are well known plants of easy culture for the home or shady situation in the garden.

Azaleas have become nearly as synonymous with Easter as the lilacs for gifts. The hardy varieties are being used more and more at Easter time, as they can be planted out and form a high note of color in the garden after serving their Easter mission. The hardier types are extremely hardy and produce great masses of very bright, fiery red single flowers, making attractive, showy gifts. Vanderhagen and Professor Walters are popular Easter azaleas and are really among the best and most popular plants sold at this season.

Verdi's Secrecy.

Verdi observed great secrecy concerning his operas, even to his business associates, and it is said that the first intimation his business managers, the Ricordi, received of the composition of "Falstaff" was a toast offered by Boito, who as supper one night when the publisher and his wife were present, said, "Gladly at Verdi and proposed a toast to the 'fat knight,' at which it seemed Verdi and Boito had been working for months."

Easter's Date Depends on the Moon.

It is well known that Easter Sunday falls on ever first upon the same day of the month two years in succession, and it does not reappear again until the same month has passed. It is not until April 4, or a variable day, that the date of the feast of the Resurrection is again observed.

On the contrary.

Mr. Moore—Tell the gentleman I'm not returning today, Jane. New Domestic—But he isn't deliverin' me; he's collectin'!

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He's Right.

"Will you marry me?"

"But I love you and I'm from the bottom of my heart."

"You dear girl, there's a stage room at the top of your mind."

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Sunday with the Churches

First Baptist Church
Rev. Norman J. Mecklen, Pastor.
10:00 Sunday school.
11:00 Morning worship.
2:00 Service at Paradise chapel.
7:30 Evening worship.
Labor Evangelist Schultz will speak at all these services. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

English Lutheran
Rev. C. R. Allenbach, Pastor.
6:00 Sunrise Service with preaching.
10:30 Morning worship.
Communion, Baptism and Reception of new members.
Easter Service.
6:30 Christian Endeavor.
7:30 Evening worship.
A cordial invitation is extended to the people of Clearfield to come and worship with us.

Presbyterian
Rev. E. C. Reeve, D. D., Pastor.
11:45 Sabbath school.
10:30 Morning worship.
11:45 Sabbath school.
7:30 Evening worship.
7:30 Wednesday, Midweek service.
The public is cordially invited to all these services.

Eleventh Street M. E.
Rev. Robert C. Peters, Pastor.
9:45 Brotherhood class.
10:30 Morning worship. Special program of Easter music and recitations by the children.
Theme, "Christian Monopoly".
Easter music in the evening.
Everybody cordially invited.

West Side M. E.
Rev. J. W. Long, pastor.
9:30 Sunday school.
10:45 Morning worship.
Special Easter program.
7:30 Evening worship.
7:30 Wednesday, Prayer meeting.
A cordial welcome.

Trinity M. E.
Dr. H. R. Bender, Pastor.
10:45 Morning worship.
Theme, "The Resurrection."
7:30 Evening worship.
Theme, "Messiah's Mission."
Everybody welcome.

United Brethren
Rev. B. J. Hummel, Pastor.
9:45 Sunday school.
11:00 Morning worship.
6:30 Young People's meeting.
7:30 Preaching.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
Everybody invited.

Episcopal
Rev. Joseph Johns, Pastor.
7:30 First service.
9:45 Sunday school.
10:45 Second service.
7:30 Evening prayer.

St. Francis Catholic
Rev. Father Ryan.
8:00 First mass.
10:00 Second mass.
7:30 Vespers and benediction of most blessed sacrament.

Allen A. M. E. Church
Rev. J. W. Brown, Pastor.
10:45 Morning worship.
7:30 Evening worship.

The Salvation Army
10:30 Holiness meeting.
6:30 Young People's Legion.
7:30 Open air meeting.
6:30 Salvation meeting.
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Every one top notch in style and quality.

Every one tailored to look well and to wear well.

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The Reliable and Up to the Minute Store
235 Market Street Clearfield, Pa.

TEXAS SEEKS TO END ILLITERACY IN THE STATE

(By United Press)

Austin, Tex., April 2.—Texas has fired the first shot at illiteracy in the "solid south" by passing a compulsory school attendance law. Texas, the least illiterate state in the south, is still the thirty-seventh state in the union in degree of literacy. Following her lead, it is expected other commonwealths below the Mason and Dixon line will adopt compulsory education.

The Texas legislature, just adjourned, enacted a law to compel attendance at school of every child over seven years of age at least six months every year until the age of twelve is reached. But the bill does not go into effect until September, 1915, and for the next three years the maximum of six months attendance is not enforceable. No child of twelve years or over can be compelled to attend school if he has completed the fourth grade and his assistance is needed in the home.

While this law may not compare favorably with stricter measures in northern states it is considered a fair beginning for a state so long steeped in child labor and illiteracy. The advocates of the measure in the 1913 legislature were confident the law would be improved in future sessions. It was bitterly fought in both branches of this legislature.

"Wet" and "Dry" Puzzle

(By United Press)

Benidji, Minn., April 2.—The village of Littlefork is wet. The township of Jameson is dry. Residents of Littlefork say they have a "boozie" divorce from Jameson township. They did get a partial divorce. But the law says they are not separated, in the matter of elections and assessments. So the attorney general had to rule that according to the law.

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FOR EASTER DAY



Easter.

Ring loud and clear your bells for Easter time,
New quick, now slow;
From one to each catch up the happy chime;
Bring all the flowers that blow
Perfume with crown an offering pure
Christ's rising morn to greet.

Ring long and deep your bells for suffering borne
With patient grace;
Bring purple panicles, colors that are
Best with a sorrowing face,
And weave with pine and cypress and
The emblematic cross.

Ring soft and slow your bells a tender knell
And softly weep;
Bring anemone and stainless saphire
In memory of that sleep
Which wrapped the world in three
Days' ashen gloom
While he was in the tomb.

Ring, ring your bells across the happy land
This Easter morn;
Christ sits in heaven at the Father's hand,
Bringing blossoms to adorn
A conquered death, whose victim has
A grave which is no prison.
—Juliet Marsh in New York Times.

THE EMPTY TOMB.

No Story and Significance Told in Easter Sermon.

It is Friday afternoon. With "It is finished" his head drops upon his breast, and the hopes of his disciples are shattered. Pilate is glad to find some balm for his uneasy conscience by granting the request of the rich friend, Joseph of Arimathea, for the body. Nicodemus, scholarly, timid and shrinking, comes late the night again, joining in the embalming, because he cannot forget the evening's talk with the great Teacher. The tomb is sealed. It is done, save for his watching enemies. The world's hopes are dead. In him they had found life; now they are ashes. They who loved him cherish the past, but have no future. The long sorrowful Sabbath day at last is waning; the first day is dawning.

Through the mists of the morning, hands laden with the treasures of the heart, while silver light of star and golden gleam of sun mingle, the Marys seek the tomb, hoping to perform the last service of loving devotion. They approach with timidity, fear, awe, wonder.

Lo, the stone is rolled back! One sits upon it clothed in light. He has hastened from heaven to anticipate their coming and to change their sorrow into song by the announcement, "He is not here; he is risen." The women hasten to tell his disciples. Hope, the last spark of which had gone out, is kindled again in human hearts. Forty day he lingers on the earth until the most skeptical cries, "My Lord and my God!" Every disciple becomes a herald of his resurrection. They seal their testimony with their blood.

Only the fact of Christ's resurrection can explain the revived hopes of his dependent followers. Only a personality that lives can rule the world as Christ rules it today. Every believer may share this Easter morning the resurrection hope as it sends the sunlight of heaven into every darkened heart and into every open grave, revealing new, "He is not here; he is risen."

Every tomb is now empty. May you who stand, in fact or in imagination, by the grave of loved ones today catch the vision and hear the voice, "He is not here; he is risen."

Death is not a wall, but a door into life. An evening promises morning, as winter spring, as the seed sowers, so death promises life.—Rev. Dr. George W. Shelton, Pittsburgh.

The Word Easter.

Easter to the French is known as Paques; to the Scotch, Pasch; the Danes, Paaske, and the Dutch, Paschen. St. Paul calls Christ "our Pasch." The English name is derived from that of the old German or Saxon goddess of spring, Ostera or Eastre, whose festival occurred about the same time of the year as the celebration of Easter. When the early missionaries went to Britain they found the people worshipping this goddess, to whom the month of April, which they called Eastermouth, was dedicated. The missionaries substituted the Christian feast for the old heathen one, but they allowed the people to give it the name of their goddess, and so the word Easter came to be used.

West Meets East

Berkeley, Cal., April 3.—One of the most important field meets of the year in the west is being held at the University of California where the California athletes are pitted against the University of Illinois team. The Illinoisans are confident that they will be able to wrest the laurels from Berkeley.

"Burning Of Judas" An Easter Rite Among Orientals

In some oriental countries among the members of the Greek Orthodox church a feature of the Easter festivities which is never omitted is the burning of an effigy of Judas, the faithless disciple. To show how firm a hold the rite of Judas burning has taken of oriental Greeks the following story is told:

In Therapia, a suburb of Constantinople, there lived a poor Greek who earned a scanty livelihood as a porter or messenger or boatman. Every Easter this man made a Judas effigy and burnt it on his own behalf and that of his coreligionists. The necessary money was got by begging.

The Turkish authorities objected to these proceedings on the ground of public safety, as the burning always took place in a small square in the workmen's quarter, quite close to some wooden barracks. Therefore every year just before Easter the good natured bimbashi, the lieutenant of police, would send for the Greek, who was well known to be a ringleader in the affair, and threaten him with severe punishment if he should burn a Judas puppet. The Greek always gave the same reply, "Even if you kill me I will burn Judas." The following year, before Easter, the Turkish bimbashi would send for the Greek again and strictly enjoin upon him that this time no Judas was to be burnt. But, all the same, the Greek would get a "Judas" ready and burn him.

It happened that the Greek had to row over the Bosphorus to the Asiatic coast. He hesitated for some time in view of the approaching festival, but finally consented on the promise of a good fee, his money being at a low ebb. When he had done his business on the Asiatic side and was getting ready to return a storm arose, so that it was impossible for him to risk crossing in his little boat. He gazed eagerly at the sky, but there was no cessation of wind and tempest. The day of the festival arrived, and the Greek, taking off his clothes, made them into an effigy, stuffed them with leaves and twigs and there on the lonely shore burnt his Judas, according to his usual custom. As soon as the storm was over, Georgi, for that was his name, returned without clothing in his boat to Therapia and told what he had done. The Turkish bimbashi, delighted that for once there was no Judas burning among the wooden sheds of Therapia, gave Georgi new clothes and a present of money as well.

In the Tyrol.

In the Tyrol the Easter festival is one of great ceremony. During the Easter holidays bands of musicians visit every valley, singing beautiful hymns to the accompaniment of their instruments as they pass along, men, women and children joining in the chorus, bearing lighted torches of pine wood.

Marvelous Activities.

A diner in a restaurant thought he would have a joke with the waiter, and asked him if he had ever seen a sausage roll. "Say," said the waiter, "I have not only seen a sausage roll, but I have seen a biscuit box, a table spoon, a chimney sweep, a chain link, a nose gay, a camera slide, a garden fence, a sword fish and a wall flower."



Scene from Selwyn and Company. Production, "TWIN BEDS." At the New Opera House, Thursday, April 8th. One Night Only.

MAHAFFEY

Mrs. Mosser entertained about 20 of her friends and neighbors at a quiting a few days ago. She served a delicious dinner at 6 o'clock, and late in the evening the company departed for their homes.

Mrs. Bruce Hepburn, of Johnstown, formerly of this place, spent a few days in town the first of the week.

Joe Mosser was a caller in Punxsutawney Sunday evening.

Miss Elsie Faust, chief operator in the Bell Telephone office, was in Punxsutawney having dental work done last week.

Mrs. J. B. Conner, of Burnside, had some dental work done in Clearfield recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Michael and daughter, Mary Katherine, have returned home from Patton, where they visited relatives.

A surprise party was held in honor of Miss Helen Lind at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. P. Thomas narrowly escaped seriously injury Monday night. While on her way down town she fell and hurt her head. She is not improving very fast.

Paul Pantall was kicked by a horse Friday and injured slightly.

Old Pawnee Plan.

They had a roundabout way of bestowing military pensions in the old days. Witness this official communication from the British war office in the reign of Queen Anne. Her majesty, it runs, has been pleased to grant Pluton Minshull, a child, a commission as ensign in consequence of the loss of his father, who died in the service. And Pluton was at the same time granted furlough until further order, his army pay being sent regularly to his mother.

Chances Are That Escort Didn't.

Photographer (taking plain-looking girl and her escort)—"Now, try not to think of yourselves at all—think of something pleasant."—London Opinion.

PATRIOTIC LECTURE

April 5, 1915, at 7:30 P. M. in the United Brethren church, Woodland, by Washington camp No. 591 of Clearfield, under the auspices of Camp No. 372, of Woodland. All members are requested to meet at the hall at 7 o'clock sharp Monday evening, march to train, then to the church.

The public is cordially invited to come. Immediately after the program all members will march to the hall of Camp No. 372 and partake of the refreshments which will be in waiting for them.

By order of committee,

E. J. TURNER, Chairman.
D. E. YOUNG.
JOHN PALMER.
H. B. PETERS.
A. E. BIGLEMAN.

D. C. Rook has taken the room over the Globe theatre, where he is showing the famous "Safety First Clothes" at \$10.00. Come up at any time.



THIS is only the Easter bunny. Big and soft and white, With little pink nose, so funny, And little stub tail upright.

He's out on his annual errand, Locating nests today, Soon to be filled with eggs, Brilliantly colored and gay.

Don't forget to have yours ready, For on his nightly round He hipity hops in a hurry, And late ones won't be found.

—Reamond M. Peat.

EASTER'S MESSAGE.

It Teaches Us to Rise Anew From Our Selfishness and Sin.

This, to my mind, is the message of the Easter tide:

We may interpret the resurrection in a dozen different ways; we may believe or not believe that this miracle took place as reported in the gospels. But that Jesus was never slain by the soldiers of Pontius Pilate, but lived to rally his disciples after the agony and terror of Golgotha, to capture Paul and lead him over stormy seas and desert wastes for the preaching of his word, to call "the glorious company of the apostles, the goodly fellowship of the prophets, the noble army of the martyrs," in all ages and places into the service of his kingdom; to speak to us today as he has "spoken of old time unto the fathers" and to "challenge us to live and die for him and his great cause of righteousness"—all this is as certain as that his body was nailed to the cross of Calvary. After the crucifixion, as before, Jesus was alive. He has been alive in every age, even the darkest, that has succeeded upon the hour of this mortal agony, and he is alive today more truly and wonderfully than he has ever been before in human history. Of this we can be sure!

But what about ourselves? Are we also alive—alive as the eleven were alive when they reassembled in Jerusalem and gave themselves anew to the kingdom of God on earth? Have we arisen from our selfishness, cowardice and sin to meet the risen Christ and pledge our hearts to his, or are we dead, as dead as Judas when the first Easter dawned upon the world? This is the question which this latest Easter puts to us. It is not so much the resurrection of Jesus as of ourselves which need concern us.—Rev. John Haynes Holmes, New York City.

The Comfort of the Lilies An Easter Poem

By CORA A. MATSON DOLSON

THE golden hearted lilies bloom once more In spicy fragrances by my open door. No my heart stirs to each new opening leaf, Down from it elipses the burden of my grief.

It is the comfort of the lilies' breath floating from out the depths of seeming death, for never clay so hard but faith has power To fit through it the radiance of a flower.

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Miss Marian Bigler announces that she has opened a Studio in the New Messop building where she will receive pupils for vocal instructions.

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AN EASTER HAT —and— PEGGY

BY AGNES C. BROGAN

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"My dear," said mother, "you really must have a new hat for Easter; your old one has grown so shabby."

Peggy ruefully surveyed the dilapidated gray felt, which had weathered many rains. "I had thought of that," she replied, "and goodness knows I have been economical enough to save the reward of my many sacrifices. You cannot appreciate, mother, the delight unspeakable of possessing an entire new hat. Heretofore it has usually been a new shape with an old flower or the reverse. This Easter hat must be a 'sumptuous' one."

Peggy folded dimpled arms beneath the wavy knot of her hair as she drew the shabby picture. "Gray straw, mother, for I must still wear my old gray suit, but faced with pink the hat shall be a delicious, dainty pink—so pale that one must look again to make sure it is pink at all, and there will



"MAY I WALK WITH YOU DOWN THE STREET?" HE ASKED.

be drooping over my shoulders a fluffy pink plume. Think of it! If there is money left over I shall buy one pink rose to tuck in my faded lapel." The girl laughed.

Mrs. May laughed with her daughter, then a flash stole over her wrinkled cheek. "Spencer Clark returns to spend Easter week in the old home he left so long ago," she said. "You remember him, Peggy—the handsome youth whom every one tried to spoil?"

Peggy's lip curled scornfully. "The imperious boy, rather, who mocked at my pink pinnafores. Yes, I remember him vaguely, and this foolish town has gone wild with anticipation because he now deigns to favor us with a visit. He has accumulated more wealth, they say, in an authority upon all elocutions and 'isms' and will, of course, be correspondingly remote—and conceited. But what have we to do with him? The bill people with dine and fete their old neighbor no doubt, but you and I of the 'common' may only look up, as we did long ago, to see the lights in their houses."

"Things change as one grows older," Mrs. May remarked impatiently. "Lillian Claire herself is not half so pretty as you, and when Spencer Clark sees you, Peggy, smiling beneath the brim of your pink Easter hat—well, I'm sure he will jump to you."

Peggy jumped to her feet. "He needs it!" she retorted. Then she turned to smile into the wistful face beneath her own. "Poor matchmaking mother!" she added whimsically. "She would marry her beggar maid into a lord."

When Peggy sought the millinery parlors the second time, with the purpose of trying on the new hat, her cheeks glowed in subdued excitement. It was an interesting experience waiting in the silk draped rooms.

And as Peggy lingered in the silk draped rooms Miss Claire passed in her velvet and fur, bestowing a cold nod of greeting.

"Madame," she called to the milliner, "will you bring my hat at once? I have no time to wait."

Madame hurried forward. "So sorry, Miss Claire," she began in humble apology. "We have been completely overrun with work, and the hat is not ready."

Miss Claire raised supercilious eye brows. "If you cannot say positively that the hat will be finished by Sunday I shall countermand my order," she said.

In distracted manner madame mentioned to a frail little creature, whose bright red hair framed a winsome face. "Miss Tait," she ordered, "see that Smith has Miss Claire's hat finished ready to send out Saturday night."

The girl's face hardened. "Smith can't do it," she answered tonelessly. "not if she keeps on working after 12 o'clock every night till Easter."

Madame stared angrily at her subordinate. "Then," she said sharply, "you must take the hat home and do it your self after hours. We close late Sat

urday night, Miss Claire. Would it be satisfactory to have the hat delivered 'special' Sunday morning?" The valueless customer bowed.

"Before 9 o'clock," she insisted. "I shall depend upon you." Briefly madame turned away, while Peggy, with cheeks burning deeper than the pinkest plume, laid a detaining hand on the young clerk's arm. Apprehensively the girl wheeled about.

"Your hat is not ready, Miss May," she sighed. "But you will have it by Sunday."

"I-I don't want it for Sunday," Peggy burst out. "That is what I wished to tell you. Miss Claire's hat may be trimmed in my time here before you leave the store. You understand?"

For a moment the girl's eyes met hers, oddly smiling. "Yes, I think I understand," she replied. Then with a little shabby laugh Peggy took the old hat up again. "I will have to do something to this," she explained. "It is necessary to remove the soiled plume." Still with that softened look upon her face, she red haired girl held out a bunch of realistic violets, fastening them with deft fingers against the gray felt brim.

It was with an apologetic feeling akin to madame's that Peggy approached her tiny nois. Mother would be desperately disappointed.

"Not ready?" she cried in dismay as Peggy opened the door. The girl slowly removed her newly decorated millinery, gazing at it in open disapproval; then with a sudden transforming smile Peggy cast the hat from her.

"Let us hope it may rain on Sunday," she said.

But there was no rain. Indeed, the spring month seemed to have borrowed a day from the coming summer, and Peggy stood on the porch steps and sighed. "That provoking old sun is bound to reveal all my shabbiness," she told her mother, and her eyes widened at the unaccustomed appearance of a special messenger.

"The box cannot be for me," she reiterated, but the boy repeated the address. "Miss Peggy May, 12 Poplar street," he read convincingly. And in its bed of green tissue nestled a bunch of fragrant violets, matching exactly the false ones of her hat. With trembling, joyous fingers Peggy pinned them close against the lapel of her faded coat.

"Oh, who could have done such a lovely thing?" she cried.

Her heart was aflutter with the morning as she walked down the long church aisle, and when she had seated herself Peggy's eager eyes sought out the face of Lillian Claire. Yes, the Easter hat in all its glory rested upon Lillian's blond head, but no weary, white faced girl had passed the night hours in its trimming. Peggy breathed a sigh of content while the softened light of a colored window fell upon the upturned face beneath the knot of violets.

A broad shouldered man in a long neglected family pew thought it the very sweetest face that he had ever

seen, but Peggy, meeting the steady gaze of earnest brown eyes, failed to find therein resemblance to a certain pair of merry eyes which had mocked at her pink pinnafores. After service she lingered a moment, looking back like some small pariah at the "bill" going people assembled about the returned celebrity. But her fleeting resentment vanished as she came out again into the sunshine. Up from the common came the sounds and scents of spring, and as Peggy hurried on a quick step sounded behind her.

"Pardon," called a man's pleasant voice; "have you forgotten an old play-fellow, oh, Miss Peggy May?"

Gravely Peggy extended her hand. "I should have forgotten," she answered frankly. "had we not heard so much of your coming. I wonder, Mr. Clark, that you remember my name."

The man laughed. "I will be as honest as you," he replied. "I might have forgotten the name had I not heard it repeated a few days ago in a millinery store." Impulsively he touched the violets on her breast. "I sent you these," he said abruptly, "hoping you would pardon the liberty of an old friend."

"I am afraid," answered Peggy slowly, "that I do not understand."

"May I walk with you down the hill?" he asked with becoming humility, and side by side they fell into step. "I have been wanting to know you," he went on, "ever since that day in the millinery store. Yours was a kind and considerate, a most unusual deed. Seated screened behind the palms I could not help hearing all that passed. You may know that my profession of writing certain dull articles carries me into many curious places on errands of investigation, a millinery parlor at noonday perhaps or a sweatshop at night. And still the problems which vex us remain forever unsolved." The young man stood still in the road looking seriously, tenderly, into the girl's wondering face. "And I should not be surprised," he said gently, "if you, little Peggy May, were wiser than us all."

But Peggy laughed and shook her head. "Why? For no flows at all," she told him. And when they reached the humble home of the common Peggy bade him goodbye.

"I am glad to have seen you," said Peggy.

The writer of books detained her hand. "I am more anxious to hear," he entreated, "that you would like to see me again."

And this episode happened just one year ago. This year Peggy was not so indulgent concerning her Easter hat.

"You will have it ready?" she asked moustached the red haired maid, and the man who accompanied her smiled proudly.

"Better explain and make sure," he suggested. So Peggy returned to the counter.

"You understand?" she asked. "It is a lavender hat."

SPOILED THE GAME.

The Prospects Were Excellent, but They Were Too One Sided.

A young singer who had been studying for opera work had the good fortune to be engaged by an impresario for a tour through South America. His chest swelled with pride as he walked the deck of the steamer that was to take him on his first trip to foreign lands. On the second morning out he was much surprised to meet an old classmate, who, like himself, was a tenor singer.

"Well, well, where did you come from? Where are you going?" each asked the other.

And each answered, "I'm engaged by an opera company for a South American tour."

"My manager is on this steamer," said one.

"And mine too," said the other.

Within five minutes both singers found that they had been engaged by the same opera company for the same tour. "What does the man mean by hiring two different men for the role of first tenor?" asked one.

"Pardon me," interrupted a youth who had been standing near and overheard their conversation. "You have myself and two other singers for companions in this affair. We have just found out to our surprise that we have all been engaged by the same man for the same part on the same tour. What under the sun can he mean by having five first tenors?"

The five youths then took counsel together and decided that they would see the manager and demand an explanation.

They found him on the forward deck. He listened, seemingly amused at their complaint, and said: "Gentlemen, don't you worry. I am an old and experienced man in this game and know what I am doing. If you were acquainted with the climate of South America you would know yourselves that it is absolutely necessary. We shall scarcely arrive there before three or four of you fellows will be stricken with the deadly tropical fever. Experience has taught me in all my tropical tours to allow for all sorts of mishaps and misfortunes. Of course you can see what excellent prospects are offered to the chap who is able to withstand everything. And with these words the manager retired to his cabin.

The five young singers then sat down and debated the "excellent prospects." They soon came to a decision. One chance in five of being a star singer instead of a dead one did not prove sufficiently attractive. So when the steamer stopped at Liverpool the youths went ashore, and the impresario never saw them again.—Youth's Companion.

Pills For Earthquakes.

In 1750 a number of smart earthquake shocks were felt in London.

which created quite a panic. The clergy, from the bishops down, exhorted, warned and pampered the people to an almost incredible extent but were things yet should befall. Quacks made small fortunes out of pills which they advertised as "good against earthquakes." Ladies wore "earthquake gowns"—warm garments for sitting out of doors at night—and most of the fashionable world lived through that summer in their coaches in the parks, "passing away the time with cards and candles."—London Express.

Old Scottish Words.

A correspondent of the Glasgow Herald submits the following examples of old Scotch words from East Aberdeenshire: Mowse—To say anything is new mowse means it is uncanny or dangerous. Connached—Spotted. Clean connached would mean utterly destroyed or rendered useless. Blaud—To blaud anything would mean to soil it. A clean blaud would be to soil a clean blaud. Gaudies or gaudies—A child's forearm. The last is a very old expression, but I have heard it used. "Sic bonnie gaudies he has," means the baby has plump arms.

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DID MY HUSBAND COME IN HERE?

They Were All Brought About by One Harmless Suite of Furniture.

THE perversion of inanimate objects is proverbial; also at times it is quite disheartening. A human being, no matter how obstinate, may be reached by argument. But how is one to argue with an inanimate object? It simply cannot be done. Take a squeaky chair, for instance. You may "sit on it" as much as you like and if it is inclined to squeak, it will go on squeaking to the end of the chapter. And the inanimate object, very often the only witness to important happenings, is entirely without standing in a court of law. It is an old saying that "the walls have ears," but unfortunately, the walls have not tongues as well as ears. So what they may have heard is of no value whatsoever in bringing about the punishment of the guilty or in clearing the innocent. The inanimate object is of mighty little use except for the particular thing for which it happened to be designed.

Take that pair of twin beds, for instance. They were, as beds go, exceptionally nice—not your common, ordinary beds at all. But beds that had gone through a lot of preliminary polishing in order to make them entirely suitable as members of an exclusive household and good society. But again, just inanimate objects, incapable of giving voice to their innermost feelings or of adding the testimony of

To get to the beginning of things, it must be admitted that Mrs. Harry Hawkins, however adorable in herself and however well intentioned, was really responsible for the ultimate mishaps that came about in the dainty boudoir which she and her Harry occupied.

In the same apartment house Signor Monti, an Italian opera singer, with eye rolling and flirtatious inclinations, occupied another apartment with Signora Monti, who, in her own words, was "a mighty good wife for him." The Montis had twin beds, and out of this knowledge was born Blanche Hawkins' desire to have twin beds also.

Said Harry Hawkins on being apprised of this desire:

"I do not believe in twin beds."

"Why?" inquired Mrs. Hawkins.

"Well, for reasons I do not care to discuss," answered the rebellious Harry.

Now, as has been before mentioned, Blanche Hawkins was an adorable little person. And what are man's reasons, expressed or unexpressed, when opposed to the desires of the adorable feminine being?

"You might at least let me talk about them," said Blanche. "You know I cannot make you buy them."

After which she arranged herself comfortably on Harry's knee, with the added remark:

"Harry, dear, I want to tell you about the darling pair I saw in one of the Fifth Avenue windows. They were cream enameled ones, with cane set in at the footboard and little pictures. Oh, the cunningest things you ever saw!" Then, noticing Harry's frown,

Harry—Why don't you always be like this? Blanche—I don't always get a chance. Blanche—Put your cheek against mine, Blanche (acquiescing)—You are a dear old silly, aren't you?

Harry—Still, but not old. (Sighs contentedly.)

Blanche—I just love the way the hair grows around your ear.

At which point an adorable kiss and the sort of fondling that a clever woman knows the value of, commencing Blanche's victory. She shall have twin beds. Harry's opposing views to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Of course everybody was quite innocent. But between being innocent and proving your innocence there is often a long way to go, as the divorce court records will show. Harry, in fact, was quite ready to take the matter into court, and would have done so had not the explanation, which came at the moment when it was least expected, and which was brought about through the discovery of a supposed burglar locked in the closet by Signor Monti, put an end to all work.

The burglar, in reality, was not a burglar at all, but Mr. Larkin, who had been on a wild hunt for Monti, thinking that he was a housebreaker.

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Blanche—You know the key to my door, she asked. Didn't you make me turn my face to the wall?

Harry—Did I tell you to hide that key in the clothes basket?

Monti—it is too much, I tell you something. Your wife she said to hide me. I had a too great big drink. I fell into the door. Harry—Blanche—

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Which philosophical observation, with more of the same sort, was enough for Harry, since it came from the adorable Blanche. And, truth to tell, it would have been convincing coming from such an adorable person even in a courtroom.

The various facts cited above prove only in small part the significance of the story told in Margaret Mayo and Katherine Child's play "Twin Beds," which has had a record breaking run at the Fulton Theatre in New York and is now proving to meet the demand for playgoers in other parts of the country.

It does not necessarily follow that because twin beds brought a lot of complications to the Hawkinsses that the same conditions would arise in every family. After all the Hawkinsses were a peculiar and unusual story.

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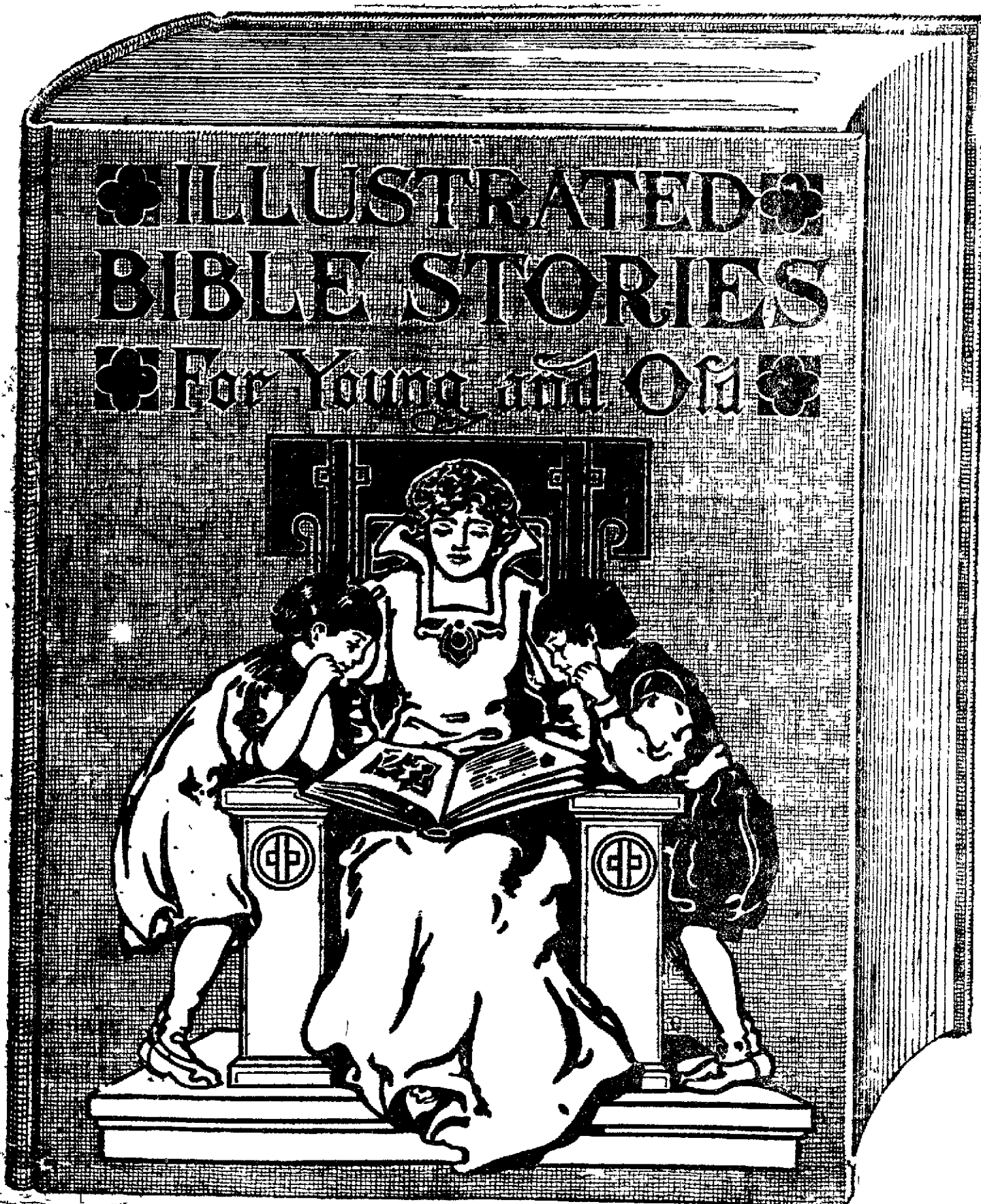
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EASTER SUNDAY PROGRAM

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Anthem "God Over All, Forever
Blessed" Heyser
Solos by Ruby Beeman and Ethel
Boyce.

Anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals,"
from the "Repentance" ... Govnd
Organ offertory "Meditation" ... Real
Mrs. Harry Boag
Soprano solo, "Life's Resurrection
Hour" ... Neidlinger
Organ postlude, Grand Chorus
Guilmant

Evening Service, 7:30
Organ prelude, "Andante in G"

Anthem, "Hosanna" ... Batiste
Solos, Florence Castle and Emery
Gearhart.

Organ offertory, melody in F
Ethel Boyce

Soprano solo, "Thy Wings, Almighty
Power" ... Godered
Organ postlude "March Romania"

Govnd
Miss Margaret James, organist
H. Clark Thayer, director.

West Side M. E. Church
The following program will be ren-
dered at the West Side M. E. church
at 7:30 P. M.

Song ... Pastor
Song ... Choir

Recitation ... Alice Fleming
Recitation ... Hobart McLaughlin

Primary Song ... Ploving
Recitation ... Donald Fleming

Pennant drill ... Class of girls
Primary exercise ... Choir

Song ... Gladys Shaw
Recitation ... Pearl McLaughlin

Exercise ... Class of boys
Song ... Choir

Recitation ... Myrtle Mitchell
Exercise ... "Giving Gifts"

Solo ... Arnold Lansberry
Recitation ... Ona Baughman

"The Rippling Stream" Class of girls
Exercise ... "Easter Eggs"

Duet ... Hobart and Frank McLaughlin
Exercise ... Earl Shaw and class of girls

"Angels of Easter", Class of large
girls ... Pastor

Address ... Choir
Song ... "Easter Story"

Tableau ... Primary Class
Exercise ... Choir

Closing song ... Choir
Allen M. E. Church

Following is the program at the
Allen M. E. church, West Side:

"Christ Arose" ... Chorus
Scripture reading ... Chorus

Prayer by Sister Harriet Chestnut.
Introduction of Mrs. Rose Williams,
president of the evening.

Recitation ... Willis Carl
Recitation ... Leona Chestnut

Duet ... Francis and Beatrice Williams
Recitation ... Louise Logan

Instrumental solo ... Edward Mellon
Recitations, Carol Lane, Sara Bohan-
non, Maud Jenkins and Walter

Lane.
Recitation ... Leslie Lane

Duet ... Mr. Barrett and Wardlow
Singing ... Choir

Select reading ... Mrs. Nettie Murray
Recitation ... Hattie Hall

Solo ... Mrs. Hattie Frazier
Reading ... Mrs. Eva Gross

Solo ... Miss Ora Jones
Offering

Special Ink Evolved.
As the carbon of ordinary printing
inks does not bleach in using printed
material for new paper, a French firm
has patented a special ink. The black
pigment is a compound from tanbark
extracts acting on ferrous sulphate,
and this is incorporated with resin,
or mineral oil and resin, or boiled lin-
seed oil. In repulping the paper the
ink is bleached with an acid solution
of a hypochlorite, chlorine gas, or
hydrochloric or oxalic acid, the pulp
being made perfectly white.

Stock Definition.
Little Johnny, on being asked by
his school-teacher if he knew what
was meant by "at par," replied that
"Ma was always at pa when he came
home late."—Exchange.

Advertise in the Progress.

Farm and Garden

USE OF MECHANICAL SEEDER.

Distributes Seed More Evenly and Ef-
fects Great Saving in Quantity.

With clover, alfalfa, sweet clover
and all the grass seeds usually enough
seed is used to the acre for three or
four good stands. If every seed took
root and grew where it fell on the soil
there would be so many plants to the
square yard that none could grow well.
They would stand so thickly that they
would smother each other to death.
Where mechanical seeders are used to
distribute the seed uniformly over the
surface of the soil much less seed per
acre will be required. By using a me-
chanical seeder for uniform distribu-
tion and covering the seed mechanically
a saving of fully one-half of the seed
can be effected.

Some farmers are afraid to disturb
the soil of their wheat fields and mead-
ows in spring. Where clover or other



PLANTING SEED WITH HAND DRILL.

Small seed is to be sown in wheat in
the spring the soil when dry may be
cut with a disk or toothed harrow
without any injury to the wheat. In
most cases the surface working will do
the wheat good, and it is a sure means
of planting the clover or grass seed. It
is good practice to cut the surface of a
thin meadow in spring with a disk har-
row for increasing the plants with clo-
ver or alfalfa, harrowing with a tooth-
ed harrow after cutting the surface
with the disk.

Sweet clover is coming into general
prominence all over the country. One
reason why more farmers do not grow
it or try it is that they have been told
animals will not eat the growing plants
nor the hay. It is true that most farm
animals will not eat sweet clover at
first, but as soon as they get a good
taste of it and become used to it they
will eat it as readily as the best corn
clover or alfalfa.

Sweet clover should be sown early in
the spring. It is a splendid crop to go
before alfalfa to inoculate and enrich
the soil. It grows rankly in wet soil
and will grow large in soil too dry for
almost any other cultivated plants.
If used for pasture, unlike alfalfa, stock
should be turned on it while the plants
are young, so they will learn to eat it
before it grows old and woody. It is a
biennial, like red clover, and will self
seed if allowed to form seed every
year.

The modern disk drill, of which there
are many good makes, is the only good
drill to use. Pages of space would be
required to tell of all its good merits
over the old style drill.—Iowa Home-
stead.

TO GET RID OF BEETLES.

If we could kill off all the June bugs
or May beetles we should have no
white grubs.

Each female beetle lays between fifty
and a hundred eggs, each of which is
pretty likely to hatch into a grub to
feed on corn roots, grains, strawberries
and the like.

There are three well known ways to
kill the beetles.

One is to spray poison on the leaves
of the trees on which they feed.

The second is to spread sheets, tarp-
aulins or canvas under the trees and
jar the beetles down with a battering
ram made of a plank with a cushion on
the end, similar to the scheme for col-
lecting the curculio.

The third takes advantage of the
beetles' fondness for a lamp at night.
Hang an ordinary barn lantern over a
tub of water on the surface of which is
a film of kerosene.

The latter plan seems most promisi-
ng, as it induces the bugs to seek
their own destruction. They fall into
the oil when trying to do whatever
they try to do to the light.—Farm and
Fireside.

Special Easter Dinner
at the Dimpeling Hotel, tomorrow
from 1 till 2. Table reservations
may be made by either telephone.

Residence Lots For Sale

At \$125 to \$300 Each

Location—East End and West
Side City Water. Call on D. R.
Woodridge at Sheriff's office, both
phones.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1915

Mrs. H. B. Summer left yesterday
morning for Jersey Shore and Wil-
liamsport, where she will spend a few
days visiting friends.

Carl Whitman returned from
State college yesterday for Easter.
Staymen Reed is at home for Easter
vacation from Princeton univer-
sity.

Mrs. George Copelin, who has been
visiting friends here, returned to her
home in Madera yesterday.

Mark A. Caldwell, K. A. Sloppy
and Ed Wise, all of New Millport,
were court house visitors on Friday.

Mrs. J. O. Clark, of Glen Campbell,
was visiting with her sisters, Mrs. W.
J. Dufton and Mrs. Harry P. Dowler,
yesterday.

L. P. Genet, of the Clearfield Tex-
tile Co., is in Philadelphia this week
on business.

Mrs. A. R. Cowdrick is visiting her
father at Woodland, not her mother,
as was erroneously stated yesterday,
her mother being dead.

H. A. Reed and family, who have
been visiting relatives in Florida,
have returned to Mahaffey.

Mrs. Rachel Dobson and daughter,
Nellie left yesterday for DuBois,
where they will spend a few days
with Rev. T. W. English and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts, of DuBois, are
spending a few days with friends in
Clearfield.

Mrs. Esther B. Stealey, of Clarks-
burg, W. Va., arrived yesterday to
spend a few weeks with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stock.

Vern Bell, a prominent farmer of
New Millport, was a visitor to the
county seat on Good Friday.

Mrs. Sheridan Betz is visiting her
sister, Mrs. George Johnson, at Wash-
ington, D. C.

Miss Blanche Minnick spent yes-
terday in DuBois.

Mrs. Peter Turner left this morn-
ing for Warren, where her daughter
is seriously ill.

Mrs. M. P. Karstetter, of Cur-
wensville, was calling on friends and
shopping yesterday.

Mrs. M. J. Kelley and Miss Jean
Smith, of Curwensville, are visiting
Mrs. James Redding.

Miss Marion Bigler entertained her
Sunday school class today.

Paul Howe was in town yesterday
from Morrisdale.

Miss Celia Briel and sister, Gene-
vieve, of Karthaus, were shopping
here on Friday.

Rev. Montgomery returned yester-
day from Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hamilton, of
Philipsburg, were Clearfield shoppers
on Good Friday.

Lawhe Dorr returned yesterday
from Pierce Business college, Phila-
delphia, for a short vacation.

Attorneys W. C. Miller and A. L.
Cole were in DuBois yesterday on
business.

Fred Johnston, of Leominster
Mass., is visiting friends in Clear-
field.

Glasgow Traxell is home to spend
Easter with his mother.

Miss Alta Boyce, who is teaching
at Moshannon came home last night
to spend Easter with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. William Boyce.

Good Nature.
The world deals good-naturedly with
good natured people, says Thackeray,
and I never knew a sulky misanthrope
who quarreled with it but it was
he, and not it, that was in the wrong.

Simple Liniment.
Simple liniment that is good for a
strained back after a siege of house-
work calls for four tablespoonfuls of
strong ammonia, four tablespoonfuls
of alcohol, two large tablespoonfuls
of salt and about a quart of rainwa-
ter. Put these ingredients into a bot-
tle and shake well. As soon as the
salt is dissolved it is ready for use.
When needed, rub the back with the
liniment and continue the rubbing un-
til the surface is warm with the fric-
tion.

SPECIAL FITTING

OF

GOSSARD CORSETS

Tuesday, April 6th

Through a special arrangement with The H. W. Gossard
Company of Chicago, we have engaged Miss McNally of their
organization, to assist our Corsetiere in a special demonstration
of Gossard Corsets.

The radical change in styles this season from the slinker slouch to
the erect, well-poised, somewhat military form, calls for considerable care
and attention in the fitting of your new corset.

There is a decided tendency toward the adoption of a smaller waist
this season and a fitted bodice, with a return to the full skirt of former
periods. All of this has a direct bearing on your corset. Authentic infor-
mation regarding these new styles is yours for the asking during this dem-
onstration.

You can come and be fitted to any of the newer models and make your
selections at a later date, if you so desire. Whether you expect to purchase
your corset at this time or not, we suggest that you arrange to attend this
demonstration.

While the original front-lacing Gossard Corsets sold at \$25 some ten
years ago, increased manufacturing facilities and an international distribu-
tion have reduced the price until now you can purchase a Gossard Corset
for as little as \$5.00, \$3.50 and \$2.00.

It will be a privilege to serve you and to have you visit our Corset
Department some time during this demonstration.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

Wear
Gossard
CORSETS
They Live In Front

SPECIAL ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the elec-
tors of the School District of the Bor-
ough of Clearfield, Pa. That in pur-
suance of a resolution passed by the
school board of said borough, at a
regular meeting of the board, held on
Tuesday evening, March 9th, 1915,
agreeing to submit the question of in-
creasing the indebtedness of the
school district one hundred thousand
(\$100,000.00) dollars, or so much
thereof as may be necessary, for the
purchasing of the necessary ground
and the erection and fitting up of a
High School Building.

And, whereas, by the provisions of
the Constitution of the State and the
Act of Assembly of April 20th, 1874,
and the supplements thereto, no
Borough, County or school district is
permitted to increase its indebtedness
to an amount exceeding two per cent
of the assessed valuation of the prop-
erty of said district, without the con-
sent of the qualified electors thereof
duly obtained by a public election to
be held in said district for said pur-
pose.

And, whereas, the said proposed in-
crease of the indebtedness of the dis-
trict, including the present indebted-
ness of the district as hereinafter set
forth, will exceed said limited amount
of two per cent, so that in pursuance
of said resolution:

A PUBLIC ELECTION WILL BE
HELD AT THE SEVERAL ELEC-
TION HOUSES IN SAID BOROUGH
ON FRIDAY, APRIL 16th, 1915, BE-
TWEEN THE HOURS OF 7 o'clock
A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., for the pur-
pose of securing the assent of the
qualified electors of the borough to
the said increase of \$100,000.00 in ad-
dition to the present indebtedness of
said district of \$60,000.00, when and
where every qualified elector of the
district is entitled to cast one ballot,
either printed or written, marked on
the outside, "increase of debt," and
on the inside, "debt may be increas-
ed" or "debt may not be increased,"
in accordance with the desire of the
voter casting the same.

In order to give the information
and not be required by law the follow-
ing statement is declared:
The amount of the last as-
sessed valuation of the
taxable property of the
school district is ... \$ 05,760 00
The existing bonded indebt-
edness of the district
is ... \$60,000 00
The existing floating debt
over assets is ... none
Making a total present in-

debtedness of ... \$60,000.00

The percentage of actual
increase as proposed is
.08-1-4 plus per cent, or
not to exceed ... \$100,000.00

Which will make the in-
debtedness of the district \$160,000.00
That an additional annual bond tax
of 2-1-2 mills is to be levied to be ap-
plied to the redemption of said bonds
and the payment of the interest on
the same as it comes due.

A. D. BIGLER,
President of School Board.
Attest:
A. G. KRAMER,
Secretary of the Board.
March 16th, 1915.

Doing Well on Small Means.
It is no small commendation to man-
age a little well. He is a good waggoner
that can turn in a little room.—Bishop
Hall.

FOR RENT—Excellent location
modern store room, DuBois, Pa., suit-
able for Ladies' or Gents' ready to
wear or Racket store. 17,000 popu-
lation. John W. Marshall, DuBois,
Pa.

FOR RENT—Bakery, DuBois, Pa., es-
tablished trade; City of 17,000; only
four bakeries. Excellent opportunity.
Rent \$15.
John W. Marshall, DuBois, Pa.



CUT FLOWERS

Carnations, per doz.	75c to \$1.00
Roses, Killarney, per doz.	\$2.00 to \$2.50
Roses, American Beauty,	\$3.00 to \$12.00
Violets, per bunch,	\$1.50
Daisies, per bunch,	50c.
Daffadils, per doz.	75c.
Sweet Peas, per bunch,	50c.

POT PLANTS

Tulips and Hyacinths, each	15c and 30c
Easter Lillies, a bud	20c
Azalias, each	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Spiraeas, each	\$1.00 to \$1.50
Hydrangeas, each	\$1.00 to \$1.50

WM. BLACKER'S

Floral Store Third Street